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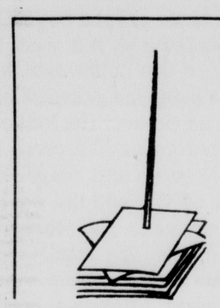


Take it from Here

NEWSROOM NOTES— The Rural Electrification Administration, subject of a spark-shooting spending battle between the White House and Congress is busily making loans under a new policy calling for private financing and higher interest rates.

The REA, an Agriculture Department agency, already has made three loans to rural electric and telephone systems under the new commercial-type arrangement and is processing half-a-dozen more a spokesman said.

Under administration orders, the REA killed the direct-funding loans Jan. 1. The new approach calls for money to be raised from private investors and the loans to be backed by REA.

Many in Congress believe the White House action on REA was another way in which the executive department has usurped one of their most-revered powers—to set spending levels for specific programs.

Last Wednesday the Senate passed a bill which would restore REA direct-funding loans from government funds. The House Agriculture Committee plans to hold hearings on a similar measure next week. The bills would make REA loans available at 2 per cent interest.

The new policy requires REA loans to bear interest roles of at least 5 per cent. The National Rurl Electric Cooperative Association (NRECA), representing electric borrowers says many local power co-ops perhaps will fail because of the new policy.

To put its policy in operation, the REA officially proposed new rules on Feb. 9 and said public comment would be accepted only until Feb. 20 when they would be adopted.

However, the NRECA and others objected to the brief time for comment and the period was extended until March 12. Technically, the procedures cannot be officially adopted until then.

"We're making loans anyway," the REA spokesman said. "And until somebody orders us to stop, we're going to continue as rapidly as we can."

According to the Nixon budget, REA expects to loan $390 million during the second half of the fiscal year ending June 30 under the new procedures. Coupled with $228 million loaned under the direct-fund, low-interest program, that would boost electric loans to $618 million this year, compared with $438 million in 1971-72.

Rural telephone loans by REA will run about $145 million this fiscal year, including $89 million from the new financing and $56 million under the former program.

The REA funding question if part of a broader furor in Congress over President Nixon's refusal to spend appropriated funds.

Even if Congress approves the REA restortion bill, officials in the Agriculture Department say privately they expect Nixon to veto it.

Nixon calls for common sense on nation's social problems

WASHINGTON (AP) — President Nixon said today America's impatience to get things done should be blended with level-headed common sense to cope with the nation's human problems—poverty, hunger, discrimination, ignorance and disease.

In the fourth of a series of nation-wide radio addresses on his State of the Union report, Nixon said the federal government undertook too many—"sometimes almost utopian"—social programs during the past decade which in case after case "amounted to dismal failure." Now, he said, a policy of fiscal responsibility needs to be implemented to reform the federal programs for human resources.

This year offers opportunity for great advances, Nixon said, because of the end of the Vietnam war, which he termed "one of the most unselfish missions ever undertaken by one nation in the defense of another."

Nixon said he will send Congress within a few days a message on urgently needed reforms in social programs intended to cure past failures.

"Too much money has been going to those who were supposed to help the needy and too little to the needy themselves," he said.

He outlined some of his proposed reforms, all of which had been disclosed earlier by administration spokesmen. They included:

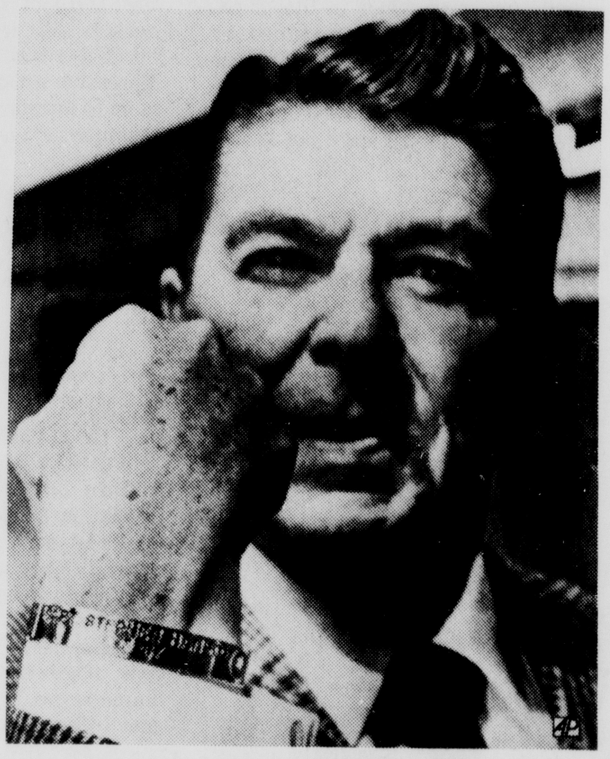
—Conversion of "narrow, fragmented, categorical" education and manpower training programs into new special revenue sharing programs which let local and state officials judge how to meet needs.

—Elimination of hospital construction subsidies to achieve increased spending in such areas as cancer and heart disease research.

—Transfer of most anti-poverty programs from the Office of Economic Opportunity to "appropriate Cabinet departments."

—Reform of the present welfare system to provide a decent income and "increase human dignity rather than eroding such basic values as the family structure and the dignity of work ... "

By concentrating on programs that work and eliminating ones that are wasteful, Nixon said, human needs can be met without "a ballooning budget deficit that could lead to higher taxes, higher prices and higher interest rates."



STILL WEARS POW-MIA BRACELET— California Gov. Ronald Reagan shows his POW-MIA bracelet with the name of Marine Capt. Stephen Hanson on it. Capt. Hanson was shot down over Laos June 3, 1967, and is listed as missing in action. Gov. Reagan told a group of students that with the signing of a cease-fire in Laos he hopes the Marine pilot's name will be added to the list of prisoners held by the Laotians. Capt. Hanson's wife lives in Santa Ana, Calif. (AP Wirephoto)

Israel would welcome probe into downing of airliner

TEL AVIV (AP) — Israel said today the flight recorder from the Libyan airliner it shot down indicated everyone involved was at fault. Israel also said it welcomed an international probe of the incident, and suggested a hot line between Egypt and Israel to avoid similar tragedies.

Defense Minister Moshe Dayn told a news conference the recorder tapes had been examined and "we know more or less what happened." He cited the Libyan airline, Cairo air control and a misinterpretation of events by "our own people."

Israeli fighters shot the plane down Wednesday after it strayed over military installations along the Suez Canal. The Israeli chief of staff, Lt. Gen. David Elazar, told the news conference he gave the order to force the plane down. The crash killed 106 of the 113 persons aboard.

Dayan earlier paid a surprise visit to the survivors of the crash in a Beersheba hospital, where the plane's copilot was still on the critical list.

One of the other survivors, a Jordanian, turned his head and refused to speak to the defense minister.

Dayan said Friday he hoped the Arabs "will not feel they must take revenge. We acted out of an honest consideration that this plane—which was an enemy plane from an enemy country—had come here with hostile intentions."

But the Israeli military said the plane's flight recorder showed the pilot mistook the Israeli fighters for Egyptian MIGs and thought he was actually over Egyptian territory. "It may be assumed that the plane's crew erred completely in its orientation," a communique said.

A Lebanese newspaper claimed today that Libyan jet fighters have been flying over the Mediterranean with orders to shoot down Israeli El Al airliners where they encounter them.

Al Yom, which has close contacts with Egypt, quoted reliable Arab sources in Beirut as saying the move was decided by Col. Muammar Kadafi's ruling Revolutionary Command Council to avenge the downing of a Libyan jetliner by Israeli fighters Wednesday.

A Libyan Embassy spokesman in Beirut declined to comment on the report.

Al Yom said Libyan Mirages intercepted a Trans World Airlines plane over the Mediterranean Friday and questioned the the aircraft's identity and course.

The paper gave no other details, and a TWA spokesman in Beirut said his office had "received no word about such an incident yet."

TWA has regular flights from Europe to Cairo and Tel Aviv.

Kadfai's government has been silent about what measures it would take following the downing of the Libyan airliner in the occupied Sinai Desert. The crash killed 106 of the 113 persons aboard.

A terse report over Tripoli Radio said Libyas Revolutionary Command Council had ended a two-day conference on the incident and had authorized Kadafi to send cables of condolences to the families of the victims.

No other decisions were reported.

In Cairo, sobbing relatives and friends tried to get through police lines to reach the bodies of victims of the Libyan crash.

Coffins containing the remains of 100 of the victims were handed over to Egypt cross the Suez Canal Friday.

In Beersheba, defense Minister Moshe Dayan paid a surprise visit to the survivors of the crash.

He did not speak to the Libyan copilot, who still remains on the critical list. Doctors said he had improved slightly during the night but was not out of danger.

Dayan turned to the copilot's wife who was beside her husband and invited her to tour Israel as guest of the government. She accepted.

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Bombing in Laos resumed

VIENTIANE, Laos (AP) — The United States has resumed limited bombing in Laos and the Vientiane command has claimed more Communist violations of the cease-fire agreement.

A spokesman for the U.S. Pacific Command in Honolulu said nine U.S. B52s attacked enemy positions Friday in southern Laos where the government had been forced to retreat from the key town of Pak Song. There was no word on whether there were further strikes today.

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POWs reluctant to discuss details of imprisonment

By BARTON REPPERT
Associated Press Writer

Returned American prisoners of war, some voicing sharp criticism of amnesty for draft evaders, have refrained from discussing Indochina prison camp conditions in detail.

One ex-POW said, however, "it will be a shock" for the American public when the full story of their captivity unfolds.

"Conditions in the United States are so good, I just think the American people are going to be very surprised or shocked by some of the things that took place," Army Capt. Mark A. Smith told newsmen Friday in San Francisco.

Smith, 26, of Hawthorne, Calif., said "if and when we get all of our people back, we can tell the whole story," adding it would be "explosive."

Speaking at Letterman General Hospital, Smith was among freed POWs participating in a series of news conferences across the nation. They had been warned by the Pentagon not to discuss prison camp conditions or "anything that might be harmful to those men still imprisoned."

On the amnesty issue, Army Sgt. Ken Wallingford, 24, of Austin, Tex., reflected the stance of several returnees in saying of draft evaders: "I don't think they should let them back. They are not true Americans."

"If they can't go and fight, they have no business coming back to their country," said Wallingford, who said he had been chained inside a cage while being held captive by the Viet Cong. He spoke at Brooke Army Medical Center in San Antonio, Tex.

At Portsmouth Naval Hospital in Virginia, Navy Capt. James A. Mulligan Jr., 46, of Lawrence, Mass. said that in wake of antiwar unrest, "it's about time the American people started pulling together. It's about time we start raising the flag instead of burning it."

Mulligan and other returnees denied there had been any official military coaxing to evoke homecoming statements that praised President Nixon for achieving the Vietnam settlement.

"What I said was what I had thought and what I thought most of the POWs thought," Mulligan said. "I wasn't endorsing anyone, I wasn't told to say anything for anyone."

While some of the ex-POWs denied any knowledge of their fellows providing anti-American statements for the North Vietnamese, two men, at Fitzsimons General Hospital, near Denver, Colo. said they signed special statements for their captors but refused to disclose the contents.

Army CWO Daniel Maslowski, 23, of Chicago, said he signed one statement "to help bring the war to an end," adding: "I did what I thought was best for my country."

Appearing at a news conference with Maslowski was Army S. Sgt. Gary Guggenberger, 25, of Cold Springs, Minn.

At Ireland Army Hospital, Ft. Knox, Ky., Army Capt. John Dunn, 30, of Hutchinson, Kan., said that during five years of captivity he suffered no unusually harsh treatment at the hands of the Viet Cong.

"We kept our spirits up," said Dunn, who was joined at a news session by fellow returnee Sgt. Bobby L. Johnson of Detroit.

All are entitled to refunds, says Scott

CHICAGO (AP)— Illinois Atty. Gen. William J. Scott says persons who paid personal property taxes in 1971 and 1972 are entitled to refunds whether they paid under protest or not.

He urged the state's 102 counties to return to taxpayers immediately the $30 million held in escrow and also said at a news conference Friday that the taxpayers are entitled to accrued interest on their payments.

Scott urged state legislation to define "individual" under the U.S. Supreme Court ruling Thursday which upheld the personal property tax exemption for individuals but not corporations.

He said associations, partnerships, small businesses, small farms and other unincorporated agencies are puzzled by the decision and he urged the General Assembly to settle the issue and avoid lawsuits.

Scott characterized as "nonsense" reports that corporations will have to fire employes or go out of business because the personal property tax is still levied on them. He noted the tax rate is the same as it was before the Supreme Court ruling.

He also said there should be no need for real estate tax increases by municipalities and recalled that the state income tax was enacted with the understanding the personal property tax would be revoked.

FIRE AFTER PIPELINE EXPLOSION— At least four persons perished during a series of explosions and a fire at a liquid petroleum pipeline about 10 miles east of Austin, Tex. (AP Wirephoto)

Sutton resigns as mayor at Oregon

OREGON— Douglas Sutton, 31, has announced his resignation as mayor, here, effective March 5.

Sutton, who had two years remaining on his four-year term, informed the City Council at Friday night's meeting that he has accepted a position as controller of Illinois Wholesale, Inc., a Springfield firm.

The job would necessitate his moving to Springfield by summer, he said.

The council voted to thank Sutton for his services during his time as mayor and then appointed Commissioner of Accounts and Finance Ralph Gelander to serve as acting mayor.

Gelander will be the acting mayor for 30 days, and if no member of the council is appointed mayor within that period, the city can petition for a special election to elect a mayor.

In other business, the council transferred $3,000 from the sales tax fund to the police protection fund, and issued a building permit for the new Ogle County National Bank Drive-in.

Members also introduced and filed for public inspection a petition for the annexation of the Howard Martin subdivision, and they gave the VFW Club permission to be open on April 1 to serve a breakfast from 7 a.m. until noon, with no liquor to be sold.

Parked car blamed in crash

OREGON — A car parked along Water Road was sideswiped when another auto attempted to go around the parked car Friday. Sheriff's police said a car driven by Raymond L. Rose, 30, Byron, was driving west on the road and in the process of passing the car when the two autos collided.

The parked car was owned by Daniel S. Reynolds, 17, Byron. Police determined Reynolds' car was illegally parked on the road and issued him a ticket for improper parking. No injuries were reported.

Rogers optimistic on Vietnam conference

WASHINGTON (AP) — Secretary of State William P. Rogers left today for the international conference on Vietnam with a prediction that he would be back shortly with a successful agreement.

Rogers' departure for the multination conference came amid indications that the American delegation would seek to limit the conference in scope as well as time. Rogers said he expected the meeting to take about a week.

"We hope to be back before too long with a very successful outcome," Rogers said just before takeoff from Andrews Air Force Base in nearly Maryland.

Rogers said preliminary talks "indicate the meetings will be successful and productive."

The secretary also said he did not expect renewed bombings in Laos to adversely affect the over-all peace negotiations, and said he was "still optimistic."

The 13-party conference opens Monday under a mandate from the Paris cease-fire agreement "to contribute to a guaranteed peace in Indochina." The agreement was signed Jan. 27.

U.S. officials indicate they would be satisfied with nothing more than an official endorsement of the cease-fire agreement at least for the time being.

The same officils say also they hope the conference can be concluded in four or five days—considerably shorter than the time frame outlined by other participants. Rogers himself said last month the meetings probably would last a week.

Many of the tasks originally expected to be completed by the conference now are thought by U.S. sources to be out of reach and they would prefer a shortened session to avoid prolonged wrangling.

These include the continued fighting in Laos and Cambodia as well as in South Vietnam and the unsettled political situation in South Vietnam.

There was still no word from the American side on how the conference would be organized. The United States has no objections to United Nations Secretary General Kurt Waldheim as chairman. But there were signs some communist participants have reservations to that role for Waldheim who was designated a member by the Paris pact.

Another problem that has to be settled even if the scope of the meeting is restricted is creation of an agency to receive reports from the International Commission of Control and Supervision overseeing the cease-fire.

Canada has conditioned its membership on the commission on the existence of such reporting agency. Otherwise the Ottawa government has said it will withdraw from the supervisory group.

It may be that two unrelated developments could prove the most interesting aspects of the Paris session.

The conference will be the first occasion in several years where the Soviet Union and the Chinese government in Peking face each other in an international forum other than the U.N. Some believe the degree of cooperation by the Communist rivals could play an important part in guaranteeing the Vietnam peace as well as pointing up the competition for influence in Southeast Asia.

The second interesting side issue will be negotiations between Rogers and Chinese officials concerning several million dollars in claims dating from the Chinese civil war of the 1940s.

The United States is seeking to recover some $250 million in claims for property confiscated when the Communist regime took power.

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War critics: silence

The best tribute Americans could pay to their returning POWs, as well as to those thousands of men who will never return from Vietnam, would be to regain a little of their faith in their country—not a blind, chauvinistic patriotism but the simple acknowledgment that for all its faults and shortcomings, America has always stood for certain noble ideals and that it still upholds those ideals.

Certainly we have had enough of the kind of national self-abasement still mouthed by the likes of antiwar priest Philip Berrigan.

"We should go very humbly on our knees for what we have done (in Vietnam)." he said the other day. "People around the world consider us one of the most dangerous nations in the world. The violence of this nation and this empire is almost limitless."

(Oh, yes. Western Europe in particular is so fearful of our violence that it trembles every time anyone so much as suggests it might be a good idea to bring home some of the 300,000 American troops stationed there.)

It is rather the Berrigans who should perhaps go very humbly today. When the final analysis of this war is made, the world may learn just how much their well-intentioned efforts actually prolonged the killing and the dying by encouraging North Vietnam to believe it need not negotiate seriously with a dissension-wracked United States but could achieve its goals on the field of battle.

If the peace activists did indeed prolong the war, they are responsible for infinitely more human suffering than was caused by a Calley at My Lai. Would they have the moral strength to live with that fact?

If they did not prolong it, then they should be very humbly grateful that America is a country in which men are free to oppose their government when they believe it to be wrong, even if that government does not always listen as they think it should.

Blessed are the peacemakers—but only when the peace they profess to seek is a just peace, when their appeals to humanity and morality are made not only to their own countrymen but also to those who chose to take up the sword in the beginning.

Yet not one word of reproach is or ever has been uttered by the peace activists against North Vietnam for the violence it unleashed against hundreds of thousands of innocents in South Vietnam. Not the slightest suggestion is made that the Communist supporters of North Vietnam also have a responsibility to bind up the wounds of war.

It was not the alleged proneness to violence of the United States but this moral myopia of the protesters which rendered useless all their appeals for peace— appeals stained with violence which they themselves initiated or were not always entirely innocent of.

The same blindness renders them pitiful today when they continue to attempt to preach morality to America.

But the war is in the past. There is a cease-fire now among the Vietnamese. Let there also be a cease-fire among ourselves.

This is still America. This is still the country where human freedom has found its highest expression, where the greatest good for the greatest number remains the sought-for ideal.

It is still a country worth loving.

Hijack deterrent

With an almost total absence of fanfare, the United States and Cuba have signed an agreement that will do more to end the menace of hijacking than any amount of security precautions at airports.

The agreement provides that hijackers shall either be extradited or be brought before the courts of the territory to which they flee, and if convicted, shall "receive the most severe penalty according to the circumstances and the seriousness of the acts."

The agreement covers both aerial hijackers and those operating by sea. Because most of the refugee traffic to the United States has been by small boats, the document carefully distinguishes between criminal hijackers and those with a valid claim to asylum.

As explained by Secretary of State William P. Rogers, a nation receiving a refugee "may take into consideration any extenuating or mitigating circumstances in which the persons responsible for the acts were being sought for strictly political reasons and were in real and imminent danger of death without a viable alternative for leaving the country."

In no case, however, will asylum be granted if the refugee extorted money or harmed or threatened to harm a crew or passengers.

"It doesn't affect the right of asylum," says Rogers. "What it does mean is that you cannot commit major crimes on the way to the asylum."

And while the accord "does not foreshadow a change of policies as far as the United States is concerned toward Cuba," it stands as another notable achievement by the Nixon administration in lowering international tensions and removing sources of friction in our relations with other countries.

Algeria, another favorite hijacker haven, has now expressed interest in reaching a similar agreement with the United States.

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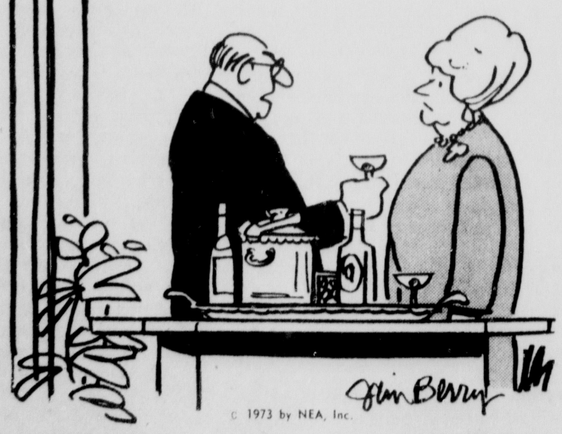

"Now that I have explained what the devaluation of the dollar is all about, let's both have a martini and try to forget it!"

'Little Cesar' weeps again

By RALPH de TOLEDANO

"Little Cesar" Chavez, whose dictatorial United Farm Workers Union has never had an election—democratic or not—is up in arms over the Teamsters Union. Chavez is furious because the lettuce growers and the Teamsters have negotiated contracts which exclude the UFWU. He weeps copiously for the workers, decries what he calls the "sweetheart contracts" between growers and the union, and proclaims his self-anointed role as the leader of American farm labor.

"We now demand that the growers sit down and negotiate and sign contracts with the legitimate representatives of the workers, the United Farm Workers Union," he says. And he inveighs against the "collusion" which led to the contracts he is so wrathful about.

If the media were reporting what has been going on in table grape and lettuce fields, this could be very funny indeed. For Cesar Chavez and the UFWU represent no one but themselves. The table grape growers signed contracts with Chavez despite the overwhelming opposition of the workers, and only because of a nationwide boycott which was putting the growers out of business.

Those contracts, moreover, were negotiated and signed secretly, without the knowledge or consent of the workers who had to join the union or starve. I was in Delano, Calif., the center of the table grape industry right after Chavez had pulled his coup, and in overwhelming numbers the workers were in despair. They hated Chavez and the UFWU, but they had no choice if they wanted to continue to work.

Only a handful, some 2,000, had joined the union voluntarily. The rest had been dragooned into a closed shop situation—illegal elsewhere in the labor movement—and dependent on Chavez-run hiring halls for work. Once in the union, moreover, they were informed by Dolores Huerta, vice president of the UFWU, that there would be no elections for officers within the union because the workers were not intelligent enough to vote the way she wanted them to—and to this day they remain prisoners of Cesar Chavez with all their civil rights denied them. They are making less money, and paying dues for that privilege.

With the dues he began collecting from the grape pickers, Chavez moved into the lettuce fields. The workers there did not want him either. But panicking growers immediately signed contracts with the Teamsters to keep Chavez out. The workers, never consulted, went along because they felt they were accepting the lesser of evils.

Now Chavez and the UFWU have mounted suits for $212.4 million against the Teamsters and the growers on the theory that the workers are UFWU property, with or without their consent. Chavez believes that he will have his way and impose a new serfdom on the agricultural workers of the nation. His pious words are widely reported, but his repressive actions somehow do not seem to interfere with the pacid acceptance of his arguments by the media.

During the table grapes boycott, the media reported it as if it were a struggle between the union and the pickers on one side, the growers on the other. The battle over the lettuce workers is reported as if it were a case of the Teamsters and the growers versus the UFWU and the workers. In both instances, the workers and their interests are totally ignored. And this highly unfair view will prevail when Congress holds hearings on a statute to cover farm workers.

No one will ask why, if the UFWU is so popular with the workers, it shuns representation elections. No one will inquire into union democracy. And no one will make a study of the UFWU's membership rolls before it was able to coerce the grape pickers into signing up, with the collusion of the growers. Chavez wants the Federal government to perpetuate his dictatorship—and the chances are that Congress will go along.

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"Have a Good Time and Don't Worry, I'll Take Care of the Home Front!"

No-fault bills gain headway

By MARIANNE MEANS

WASHINGTON (KFS)— The passage of no-fault auto accident legislation in New York State was the latest evidence of a rapidly accelerating national trend to get law and the government out of the morality business.

Under New York's no-fault concept, judges will no longer fix public blame for negligence to collect damages in accident cases in which no one is seriously injured. Six states now have similar legislation, 10 more are considering it, and Congress may hold hearings this year on a Federal measure.

This is in keeping with the gradual withdrawal of many states from other areas of individual private conduct in which they have previously made moral judgments. For example, laws have been relaxed in many states so that couples may divorce on grounds of separation without requiring the courts to pin fault for bad behavior on one of the pair. A national no-fault divorce law, which would establish "irreconcilable differences" as the only grounds for ending a marriage, is pending in Congress. It is patterned after California's no-fault system, which permits divorce even in cases where one spouse has not consented.

And gambling, once widely outlawed as sinful, is now not only legal in some states but a welcome form of revenue. Eight states have established lotteries. Horse racing is operating in 30 states. Casino gambling is big in Nevada and under study in two other states. Off-track, pari-mutuel betting is legal in several New York cities and is being considered in five other states.

The Supreme Court recently shoved the states further in this direction by ruling that it was none of their business if a woman wished to get an abortion in the first three months of pregnancy and that they could only meddle for the next three months if they did so to protect her health.

The courts and Federal and state governments may also be moving toward less regulation of acts of consent in private by individuals, as long as those acts do not injure other persons or society as a whole. This is a highly controversial area and a dramatic liberalization of present attitudes is not likely to happen today or tomorrow.

But the courts are heavy with fundamental cases about obscenity that question whether the government has the right to legislate moral standards for individual behavior. Legal experts predict that in many of these cases the courts will find that pornography cannot be forbidden if it is not imposed upon adults who do not wish to see it and if it is kept away from children.

And there are increasing public pressures for a relaxation of laws affecting homosexuality, prostitution, and the smoking of marijuana. The National Organization for Women passed a resolution last week calling for repeal of all laws that make prostitution a criminal offense, on the grounds that they passed judgment upon women prostitutes while ignoring the essential participation of men.

One of the most conspicuous opponents of a reduction in government moralizing is President Nixon. He was vigorously anti-abortion and he has spoken out against softening pornography and pot laws.

But the President is not totally consistent on the subject. During the 1972 Presidential campaign, in a radio speech delivered Oct. 21, he urged that "it is time that good, decent people stopped letting themselves be bulldozed by anybody who presumes to be the self-righteous moral judge of our society." Surely he meant to include himself in that category.

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Second coming of Islam in Europe

By DAVID POLING

Moslems trace their beginnings back to the 7th and 8th centuries when Mohammed and his followers exerted so much influence on international affairs. The Moslem surge, that not only covered most of the Middle East but raced on into the neighboring continents, was finally turned back by Charles Martel at the battle of Tours, France, in 732. Now a more friendly, cordial invation of Western Europe is taking place, with Christians and Moslems meeting in the spirit of ecumenical good will.

Writing in the Church Herald, official organ of the Reformed Church in America, Howard G. Hageman discusses the construction of Moslem religious centers in Holland and Great Britain. He notes that the largest mosque in Europe will be built in Utrecht, with a golden dome, minaret and a capacity of 7,500 people. The entire project will cost nearly $20 million, supported by the 100,000 Moslems of Western Europe.

Hageman points out that The Netherlands has more than 50,000 Moslems, many of them workers from Turkey and Indonesia. He indicates that the new center will conduct religious services in several languages, contain shops and a hotel, and hopes to be a location of dialogue between major Christian and Moslem groups.

The second coming of Islam has been marred with unhappy experiences in England, particularly Yorkshire where Moslems sought to purchase a property that had been closed by the Church of England.

It seems that the congregation of St. Mary's had merged with another church, the building no longer being used. "The Diocesan Committee twice recommended since 1968 that the property be sold to a Muslim congregation for use as a mosque. On those two occasions the former parishioners appealed to the Bishop to prevent such a desecration of their old property and both times he upheld their protest."

Hageman traces this uproar to its conclusion, when finally, the Church of England decided that "The derelict building should be demolished and the real estate sold to whatever secular purchaser could be found."

The question of old church buildings and sanctuaries is a touchy one indeed, if one has fierce attachment to buildings and grounds. While all this was going on in Yorkshire, good old St. Mary's was being creamed by local vandals. Every window was smashed, the doors hauled away, the furnace and roof removed.

Comments Hageman: "There have been abundant critics who spoke scornfully about Christians who didn't want to see their building desecrated by becoming the home of a Mohammedan congregation, but were quite willing to see it stand derelict, a prey to every vandal in Yorkshire, and happy to see it demolished and replaced by a supermarket, filling station or whatever."

Islam is here, and in spite of certain Christian reservations and in some instances, opposition, ready for discussion and dialogue. It really has taken centuries for this to develop and men of good will should greet this with anticipation and hope.

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Things Dixon Talked About

25 YEARS AGO

More than 38 guests enjoyed the Charter Night banquet of the newly-formed Amboy Lions Club last night at I.O.O.F. hall Amboy.

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POCAHONTAS, Ark. — Five business buildings were leveled here this morning by an explosion believed to have been caused by escaping butane gas, and at 10 o'clock the entire business block was burning furiously.

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A Jewish Agency spokesman declared today the Jews are convinced Sunday's bombing of Jerusalem's Jewish business district, in which 52 persons died, was engineered by Britons.

50 YEARS AGO

Another heavy earthshock, apparently centering in the same locality as the termendous quake that shook the Pacific on February 3, was recorded early today on the seismographs of Georgetown University.

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You have a "spare room" in your house that is used very infrequently. It could be earning you a very tidy sum each month.

Let a little "want ad" in the Telegraph classified column get you a roomer.

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A large framed portrait of the first clerk of Lee County, Isaac S. Boardman, was placed in the office of County Clerk Fred G. Dimick this afternoon.

Big concession by Peking

WASHINGTON (AP) — Peking apparently is making a big concession in agreeing to exchange official liaison offices with Washington, and a major reason probably is China's rivalry with Moscow.

The Nixon administration, which wants to avoid offending either of the two Communist giants, is keeping mum about this aspect of the surprise speed in the normalizing of U.S.-Chinese relations.

Just after the Nixon summit a year ago, the Shanghai communique said "The Chinese government firmly opposes any activities which aim at the creation of 'one China, one Taiwan,' 'one-China, two governments,' 'two Chinas,' an 'independent Taiwan,' or advocate that 'the status of Taiwan remains to be determined.'"

But the Washington-Peking communique issued Thursday, announcing the liaison-offices agreement, made no mention of any concession by the United States in its support of Nationalist China.

And presidential adviser Henry A. Kissinger told newsmen the United States will continue diplomatic relations with Taiwan and will not at this time pull out any of the 9,000 U.S. troops stationed there.

Peking's price to countries seeking formal diplomatic relations has been abandonment of such relations with Taiwan. The Communist Chinese say theirs is the sole legal government of all China, including Taiwan.

The liaison-office formula falls short of a full exchange of embassies between Washington and Peking, which may be years away. But the potential for embassy-like operations has been set, to begin within a month or so.

Kissinger said the Chinese office here and the U.S. office in Peking would "cover the whole gamut of relationships" except strictly formal diplomatic aspects.

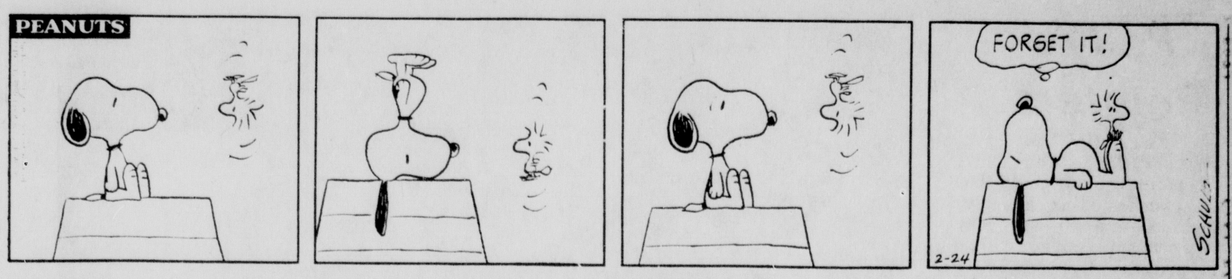
The government officials manning the offices are to get diplomatic privileges. They will, like full-fledged diplomats, be allowed to communicate with their capitals by code. National flag-flying by the missions is being considered.

China's feud with the Soviet Union rates high among causes believed turning Peking toward the United States. Among indications of this are:

—Word by Chinese leaders to visitors that they welcome a U.S. presence in the Pacific.

—Shelving of past Peking charges that Japan is a militant threat to peace, and of calls for the United States to pull out its support there.

—Only routine repetition of Communist North Korean demands for U.S. withdrawal from South Korea.



Performance by artist is scheduled

OREGON — John Mosiman, performing artist, will appear at the Oregon High School auditorium March 8 at 7:30 p.m. sponsored by the Oregon Woman's Club and the Oregon Junior Woman's Club.

Mosiman has developed a form of cultural entertainment called, "Musical Paintings." In his performance he is accompanied by synchronized orchestral sound track and special lighting effects.

Since 1952 the artist has performed throughout the Midwest, coast to coast, and in seven foreign countries. Each year he gives over 200 performances to clubs, churches, schools and service organizations.

He was born in Elgin and lived in South America ten years after completing his college studies. In Ecuador he discovered the relationship between music and art. He then developed his technique. In 1966 he resumed his residency in the United States and now lives in Elgin.

Although Mosiman has a Masters degree in art, his program is designed for the average person with no art interest or background.

At the March 8 program he will feature "Songs of Norway," "Fiddler on the Roof" and "My Country."

Tickets are available from Oregon Woman's Club and Junior Woman's Club members and are on sale downtown at the Oregon Home Auto store. Others who desire tickets may write to Mrs. James Rogers, 700 N. Fourth St., Oregon, Ill. 61061 and enclose $1 for adults and 50 cents for student donations, and the tickets will be mailed to you. There will be a limited number of tickets sold at the door.

Brooks Drugs— Headquarters for nationally advertised merchandise at super discount prices. adv.

The Worry Clinic

By DR. GEORGE W. CRANE

CASE W-536: Lita F., aged 26, is a dedicated Sunday School teacher.

"But, Dr. Crane," she protested, "our total attendance has been slowly going down each year.

"Yet the American population keeps rising!

"Which means that we aren't even holding our own.

"We have a beautiful church building, with costly stained glass windows, and a lovely robed choir.

"But almost half the pews are empty in the sanctuary during the sermon hour, except at Easter and Christmas.

"Now our church is debating buying a set of chimes.

"But I feel we should focus more on getting youngsters into our Sunday School instead of making the building more ornate."

Test Your Church

The test of a dynamic modern church is whether or not it uses buses to bring the kiddies to Sunday School!

Many small suburban churches are literally bursting at the seams and adding new wings to accommodate their zooming enrolments, largely because they now use old school buses, purchased at bargain prices.

For with those buses, a small church can easily bring in 50 new youngsters (as well as many lonely oldsters, too).

Remeber, Jesus did most of His preaching out in the open air, with no man-made edifices to house His vast congregations.

And the Apostles likewise preached outdoors or in private homes, for then the stress was on creating transformed lives instead of more gaudy cathedrals.

A few years ago, I invited a professor at the University of Chicago Divinity School to address my adult Bible class at the skyscraper Chicago Temple.

He asked the audience why the Methodist and Baptist Churches now had the largest memberships among Protestant faiths.

For he said the two leading denominations in New England back in the early 1800s had been the Episcopal and the Congregational faiths.

Then he answered his own query.

"Those churches," he began, "had become rather aristocratic and wealthy.

"Their clergymen were accustomed to driving around the parish in a carriage, drawn by a team of spirited horses.

"But when the westward trek of American settlers headed across the Allegheny Mountains, they often had to travel on foot and in single file.

"So the Episcopal and Congregational clergy waited till civilization had produced wide roads to accommodate their carriages.

"Meanwhile, the Methodist and Baptist preachers trudged along with the masses of people, or rode horseback in single file.

"When a group of those pioneers then decided to create a little settlement in Ohio, Indiana, Illinois or Kentucky, there was a Baptist or Methodist preacher with them, ready to build a little log meeting house.

"Thus, by the time good roads made it possible for Episcopal and Congregational ministers to drive out west in carriages, the Methodists and Baptists had almost monopolized the pioneer preaching in the South and Midwest."

This sounded like a very plausible explanation of how the larger New England faiths lost out to what were then merely splinter sects.

And it suggests that modern churches better stay WITH THE PEOPLE, not with ornate architecture of steel, brick or limestone!

So send for my booklet "How to Stimulate Bible Reading," enclosing a long stamped, return envelope, plus 25 cents. It is slanted to PEOPLE!

(Always write to Dr. Crane in care of the Dixon Evening Telegraph, enclosing a long stamped, addressed envelope and 25 cents to cover typing and printing costs, when you send for one of his booklets.)

DIES— Mrs. Mary Guess smokes a pipe in a nursing home in Chicago in 1968 when she was 112 years old. The centenarian, born the daughter of a slave four years before the Civil War started, died in a Chicago hospital at the age of 117. (AP Wirephoto)

Veterans programs are target of Nixon cutbacks

WASHINGTON (AP) — If the Nixon administration has its way, many of the nation's veterans will experience sharp reductions in pension benefits and wide-ranging cutbacks in education and medical programs.

But key members of Congress are lining up with the politically weighty veterans' organizations to fight it.

The brewing battle threatens the government career of Donald E. Johnson, the Iowa Republican who runs he Veterans Administration.

A White House source says that while Johnson has fallen into some disfavor, he knows of no decision to fire him. But another source says "...he's going to go."

In the administration's 1974 plans for veterans' programs, these are cuts are most criticized by Democrats and some Republicans on the House and Senate Veterans Affairs committees and by the veterans' organizations:

—An $81-million reduction in funds for VA hospital construction.

—No budget money for a new program to encourage colleges to recruit veterans, tutor and counsel them. (Congress appropriated $25 million when it passed the bill last year, and the National Association of Collegiate Veterans, with 25,000 members, filed suit in U.S. District Court Thursday in an effort to force the administration to finance the program.)

—A $5.8-million reduction in medical-research funds, primarily covering experiments to find more efficient artificial limbs.

—A $6.6-million saving in VA payroll costs and elimination of 1,400 agency jobs. Administration critics fear the item means that the VA intends to merge 57 regional offices into 10, making it harder for a veteran to slash red tape and get benefits due him.

The VA says the work of the regional offices is under study, but "we would not in any way change the number" of them.

The administration is moving on the legislative front to accomplish reductions in programs it can't cut otherwise.

The VA budget predicts savings of $223 million if Congress approves the administration proposal to change the way pension benefits are computed.

Under present law, the monthly disability pension for a veteran with only his wife as a dependent ranges from $33 to $140. To qualify for the minimum, the veteran must earn no more than $300 a year. But his wife's income isn't counted.

The administration wants to count the wife's income, and if the count hits more than $3,800 a year, the pension would be withdrawn.

Today in history

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

Today is Saturday, Feb. 24, the 55th day of 1973. There are 310 days left in the year.

Today's highlight in history:

On this date in 1920, the Nazi party was organized in Germany.

On this date:

In 1530, Pope Clement VII crowned Charles V Holy Roman Emperor and King of Italy at Bologna.

In 1761, James Otis of Massachusetts protested the English system of search and seizure. He declared: "A man's house is his castle."

In 1861, impeachment proceedings against President Andrew Johnson were begun in Congress.

In 1902, the United States acquired a naval station on Cuba's Guantanamo Bay.

In 1922, a notorious Frenchman known as Bluebeard, Henri Landru, was executed at Versailles, France, for murdering 10 lady friends.

In 1945, in World War II, American troops liberated the Philippine capital of Manila from Japanese occupation.

Ten years ago: A U.S. Senate study group warned that the struggle for Vietnamese independence was fast becoming what the four-man panel called an "American war."

Five years ago: Nelson A. Rockefeller said he would run for president if drafted by the Republican National Convention.

Thought for today: Be moderate in praising a man when he is present, but give him full credit when he is absent — the Jewish Talmud.

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ASTRO★GRAPH

BY BERNICE BEDE OSOL

For Monday, February 26, 1973

YOUR BIRTHDAY TODAY

This coming year will offer you some unusual opportunities to afford you greater prominence and prestige. Recognition for past efforts is likely.

ARIES (Mar 21-Apr 19) Aim high. Expect good things to happen to you today. Too much introspection will dilute your optimism.

TAURUS (Apr 20-May 20) If an arrangement with another is proceeding smoothly, it would be unwise to let an outsider's opinion influence you.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20) Before you tell about something you're doing with someone else be certain you have their approval.

CANCER (June 21-July 22) You do best today if you continue to come to grips with things that fall under your control.

LEO (July 23-Aug 22) Even though others can appreciate your point of view, allow them more time before they commit themselves materially.

VIRGO (Aug 23-Sept 22) Don't let your awareness of details block your view of the larger picture. Smaller pieces fall in place later.

LIBRA (Sept 23-Oct 23) Communicate with loved ones — they'll be particularly pleased to hear from you today. Give them a call or just drop in.

SCORPIO (Oct 24-Nov 22) Your financial prospects continue to look promising. However, speculative situations still require caution.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov 23-Dec 21) When you're tuned in as you should be today, positive attitude will work wonders. Try it.

CAPRICORN (Dec 22-Jan 19) Your intution and feelings today could be far better counselors than that which appears to be cold, hard fact.

AQUARIUS (Jan 20-Feb 19) This is a good day to participate in some form of group endeavor. Surprises are in store.

PISCES (Feb 20-Mar 20) Although you may entertain some self-doubts, you have a great deal of influence over others today.

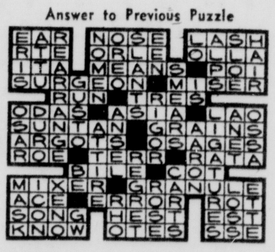
(ENTERPRISE FEATURES)

Names

ACROSS
1 One of the "Little Women"
4 Eldest son of Noah (Bib.)
8 European region
12 Feminine appellation
13 Surface a street
14 "—— and the king of Siam"
15 Sea (Fr.)
16 Formation in line (var.)
18 Hearth gadget
20 County in Nebraska
21 Writing fluid
22 Coconut fiber
24 Domestic slave
26 Strip of leather
27 Cushion
30 American mathematician
32 Senility
34 Click-beetle
35 Rubs out
36 Certain railways (coll.)
37 Erect
39 Being (Latin)
40 River islets
41 Malt brew
42 Accumulate
45 Root vegetable
49 Henry VIII's first wife
51 Gazelle
52 Italian city
53 Metal
54 Abstract being
55 Stupefy
56 Irish fuel
57 Short-napped fabric

DOWN
1 Mother (coll.)
2 Biblical garden
3 Flowers
4 Fire particle
5 Nimbus
6 Make evident
7 Males
8 Philippine island
9 Afresh
10 British princess
11 Rodents
17 Redactor
19 Lifeless
23 Of greater age
24 Fencing sword
25 Vend
26 Basque headgear
27 Bus traveler
28 Lifetimes
29 From himself (law)
31 Color
33 Chinese coins
38 Tower
40 Pale
41 Are not (contr.)
42 High cards
43 Ship spar
44 Aleutian island
46 Wild ox of Celebes
47 Hebrides island
48 Go by
50 Tear

Answer to Previous Puzzle



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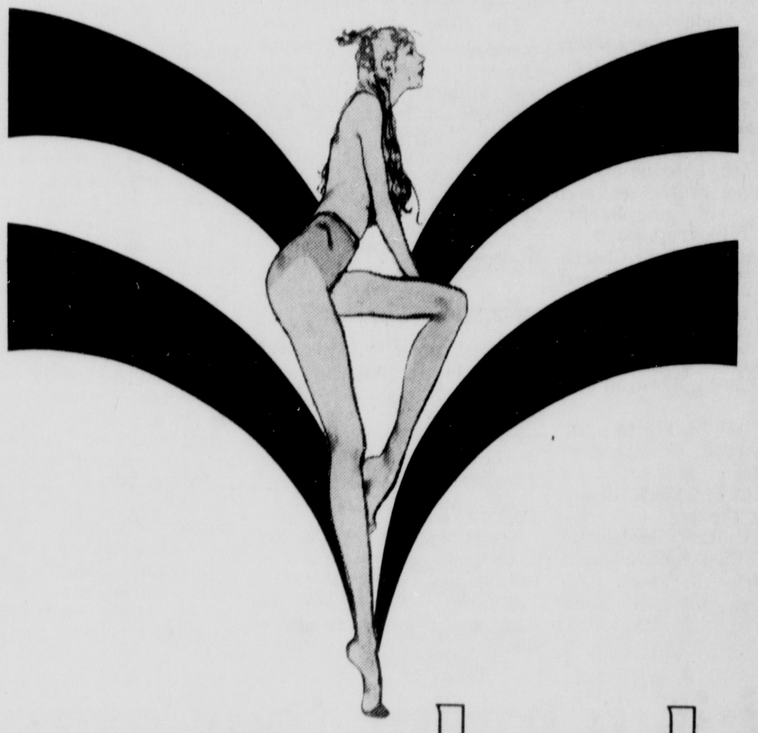

annual sale
February 26 to March 10
great savings on pantyhose
additional savings on
controll top and extra large pantyhose

	REG.	SALE PRICE 1 Pair	
Brief Top Panty Hose	2.50	2.11	4 pr. 8.25
Sheer Panty Hose	2.00	1.71	4 pr. 6.60
Control Top Panty Hose	3.00	2.59	3 pr. 7.50
Opaque Panty Hose	2.00	1.71	4 for 6.60
Extra Large Panty Hose	2.50	1.91	3 pr. 5.55

Polly's Pointers

Polly's Problem

DEAR POLLY—What can I do to polyester knit pants that were overheated in a faulty clothes dryer and are now permanently wrinkled rather than permanently pressed? I have tried rewashing, and drip-drying and ironing but nothing works. I would certainly appreciate some Pointers.—MRS. W. H.

DEAR POLLY—After a buttonhole is slit through, especially those in dark material, the white interfacing begins to ravel and show up. My Pet Peeve is with the manufacturers who do not make or use interfacing of different colors.—MRS. O. H.

DEAR POLLY—Anne's solution to the problem of tinting her eyeglass frames while she tints her own hair is to apply a liberal amount of petroleum jelly to the frames. When the job is finished the frames can be wiped clean and will not be stained.—JANENE

DEAR POLLY—Like Anne, I color my own hair and have found that wrapping each temple of the frames with plastic wrap will keep them clean. They slip on easily and the wrap can be removed very quickly. I could do nothing about the color stains on my old frames but my new glasses are still like new. Hope this will help Anne.—DOROTHY

DEAR POLLY—When warming my baby's food in a dish I always wet a paper towel or napkin and put it in one of the warming sections. When baby is fed I have a nice warm towel at hand for cleaning his face.—SANDI

DEAR POLLY—When hanging pictures I use felt corn or bunion pads on the backs of the pictures. They are great for keeping the pictures from marring the walls and help prevent dirt from gathering behind them.— JEAN

DEAR POLLY—Recently I made a specially decorated cake for a shower. I lined the cake pan with aluminum foil. After the cake was baked in this lined pan I lifted it out by the foil and set it on a breadboard. The foil was then wrapped around the board and I was ready to decorate the cake on a neat foil-covered "platter." It also was served from this covered board.—LINDA

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BETSEY JOHNSON, still the enfant terrible of the fashion world, understands junior fashion to the 'nth degree. Bare-midriff halter (left) and baggy pants in the print of the year—black challis with enormous hydrangeas in many shades of pink—is worn with a smock-top. Malcom Starr knows exactly how you want to look for evening. Rizkallah (right) created the body-revealing caftan in a fanciful floral paisley print chiffon double layer of drifty silk.

Stuffed chicken

By AILEEN CLAIRE

A stuffed breast of chicken will be a pleasant surprise since it contains bananas wrapped in ham slices. A special sauce is spooned over the chicken when if its served on a bed of rice. This is a dish that is far easier to prepare than it sounds and wins the chef a special star.

STUFFED BREAST OF CHICKEN

3 small ripe bananas, cut into halves crosswise
2 teaspoons Angostura aromatic bitters
6 slices boiled ham
6 boneless and skinless chicken breast halves
Salt and curry to taste
1 cup flour
2 eggs, well beaten
3 cups flaked coconut

Sauce

3 tablespoons sugar
¼ cup wine vinegar
2 cups chicken broth
2 tablespoons cornstarch
¼ cup port wine (or ¼ cup prune juice)
½ cup orange juice

Brush bananas with aromatic bitters. Wrap bananas in ham slices. Pound chicken breast until paper thin between two thicknesses of plastic wrap. Place ham roll on flattened chicken breast and roll up, turning in ends. Chill for 1 hour. Dip rolls in flour, then into beaten egg and then into coconut. Place rolls on a heavily buttered pan and bake in a preheated 350-degree oven for 40 to 45 minutes or until chicken is tender and coconut is golden brown. To prepare sauce, combine sugar and vinegar in a saucepan. Bring to a boil and continue boiling until syrup becomes reddish brown. Add chicken broth. Mix cornstarch and port wine and stir into sauce. Add orange juice. Stir over heat until sauce bubbles and thickens. Serve chicken on a bed of hot cooked rice with sauce spooned over top.

. . . . for and about women

Garden Club members have flower show interpretation

An interpretation of the Chicago World Flower Show, sponsored annually by the Rock River Garden Club, was featured at the club's meeting Tuesday in Loveland Community House when Harold Cook, Dixon florist, presented a critique on the arrangements and displays created by club members.

Because of his experience in participating in flower shows as both a competitor and a judge, Mr. Cook was qualified to evaluate the efforts of the Garden Club members, who were divided into eight teams. Each team followed the 1973 Chicago World Flower Show schedule as a guide in planning and preparing their entries, and Mr. Cook explained in detail the mechanics of developing such a schedule.

Mrs. Victor Eichler, president, conducted a business session when Mrs. Wilbur Stern, chairman of the nominating committee, introduced the slate of officers for the coming year.

Mrs. Eichler, who was re-elected president, will be assisted by Mrs. Andrew Shelak, first vice president; Mrs. Thomas Eichler, second vice president; Mrs. F. K. Slack, third vice president; Mrs. Charles Marshall, treasurer, and Mrs. Frances Crawford, secretary.

The club was reminded that membership dues are now payable, and a regular March meeting will be replaced by a trip to Chicago March 26 to attend the World Flower Show in McCormick Place.

Mrs. Slack, chairman of the afternoon's hostess committee, was assisted by Mrs. James Hey, Mrs. Robert LeSage Sr., Mrs. Joan Silvest and Mrs. Clyde Yount Jr.

Top designers believe in spring wools

Top designers are casting wool in a shadow play for spring. Shadow-soft pastels and staccato-shadowed stripes both star in newly relaxed and easy-to-live-in silhouettes. The newest of '73 fashions are, first of all, eminently wearable. Gone are the neon-and-shock-treatments of the 60's youth generation; back are the kind of clothes which state their message subtly and simply.

Wool is the top choice for designers whose looks rest more on line than on gimmickry. Wool tailors beautifully, drapes magnificently and retains its 'new' look indefinitely. A hazy turquoise wool fleece is Calvin Klein's pet medium for his shirt coat with-a-difference — its waist is gently draw-stringed. A shadowy pearl gray Anglo wool plus Anne Klein's genius with a shirt dress adds up to the kind of all-day, every-day garb no woman should be without. Bill Blass takes to shadowy denim-striped wool for an ensemble which is a wardrobe in itself. John Anthony, long-time devotee of wool jersey, pairs his white cardigan coats and jackets with navy and white striped shirts and ties.

According to the Wool Bureau, Inc., wool is the perfect fabric for a time in which the termperature dips and climbs almost at random. Wool can keep one as comfortable in cold March winds as in warm May breezes. It is the fabric for the most changeable of seasons.

ARCH wins for student

By Oswald & James Jacoby

South was one of those students of the game who tried his best to apply his learning to every bid and play.

In particular, he applied the code word ARCH to start the play of every dummy.

He Analyzed the lead as fourth best and saw that his best play from dummy would be the nine-spot. This would give him two stoppers in the suit if West had led from ace-10 and East held the queen.

Unfortunately the nine merely forced East's 10 and South could do no better than take his king at trick one.

Review of the bidding told him nothing except that he rather wished that North had just bid two no-trump instead of three.

Count of the winners and losers showed seven quick winners. There was a 50 per cent chance of getting two more out of the heart suit. All he had to do was find East with the queen.

There was a better chance for getting two extra tricks in clubs. A suit breaks 3-2 some 68 per cent of the time.

At first glance the club play looked best, but South went on to How can I make this hand and saw that the opponents would collect three spades, one heart and one club if they were given a club trick. So South led to dummy's king of diamonds and played the jack of hearts. East had the queen. The 50 per cent chance worked and the student triumphed. 24

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NORTH		24
♠ J 9 3		
♥ J 10 6		
♦ K 8		
♣ A 9 7 5 4		
WEST	**EAST**	
♠ A 8 7 2	♠ Q 10 5	
♥ A 8 5	♥ Q 7 4 2	
♦ 7 4 3	♦ 10 9 5 2	
♣ J 10 3	♣ Q 8	
SOUTH (D)		
♠ K 6 4		
♥ K 9 3		
♦ A Q J 6		
♣ K 6 2		

Both vulnerable

West	North	East	South
			1 N.T.
Pass	3 N.T.	Pass	Pass
Pass			

Opening lead—♠ 2

Dixon Evening Unit meeting with Mrs. Rowe

Members of the Dixon Evening Homemakers Extension Unit will meet at 7:30 p.m. Tuesday with Mrs. Kenneth Rowe, 911 Institute Blvd., who will be assisted by Mrs. Carl Santee and Mrs. George Lennox.

A tour of the Lee County Law Enforcement Building has been arranged for unit members.

Mrs. Snell to be hostess

Mrs. Wendell Snell, 1201 Park Lane, will entertain members of Preceptor Chapter, Beta Sigma Phi Sorority, at 8 p.m. Monday.

Party for anniversary

STEWARD — Mr. and Mrs. Pascual Salazar hosted a Sunday afternoon party honoring the silver wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Omero Chao, Rockford.

A decorated anniversary cake centered the refreshment table, and guests included Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Baldarama, Mr. and Mrs. Simon Solis, the Roman Marcias, the Henry Romas, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Cortinas and the Adolfo Ortizes, all of Rockford; Mr. and Mrs. Robert Sanchez, Belvidere; Mr. and Mrs. Cruz Incencio, Aurora; the Bernard Scotts, the James Spones and Mrs. T. J. Tejado.

Young Mothers' Club meeting

Members of the Young Mothers' Club will be guests of Mrs. Richard Pitman, 1121 N. Jefferson Ave., at a meeting planned for 8 p.m. Wednesday.

The Rev. Steven Joos, executive director of Campus Life in the Sauk Valley Area, will present an illustrated program on his work with young people, and club members unable to attend the meeting are asked to notify Mrs. Nelson Cook, 284-2179.

Practical Club plans meeting

A meeting for the Practical Club has been arranged for 1:30 p.m. Tuesday with Mrs. B. E. Sanderson, 1112 Douglas Ter., and the afternoon's program will be presented by Mrs. Harry Schuler.

SUBTLE EYES

A dab of shiny beige eye shadow at the inner corners of the eyes and a subtle pink gloss just under the brows lifts the eyes and draws attention to them.

Dear Ann

by Ann Landers

Dear Ann Landers: Do you have room for one more letter about the wisdom of an adopted child locating his "real" parents? I hope so because I have a story to tell.

When our lovely daughter was 15 she made an announcement that floored her mother and me. This shy but pretty girl, no more than a child herself, said, "I am pregnant." Our whole world collapsed, but we were determined to stand by her and keep the child, if possible. Our minister helped with a plan.

We sent our daughter to friends in a distant state. She was in her fourth month and not showing.

My wife was 38 years old at the time and our youngest child was 9. We confided to our friends that we were trying to adopt a child. When our daughter had her baby my wife went out and brought them both back. The story was that we had adopted a child from an agency and our daughter had spent several months in Europe.

Today we are thrilled we have this little one. Our daughter is happily married and has two children of her own.

At times we are tempted to tell our little darling that she is not an adopted child but we dare not do it for fear of damaging the lives of several people.

Tell "Confused" not to try to uncover secrets. It might break somebody's heart and cause untold sorrow. I remain, of course, anonymous, but sign me— Luckier Than Most

Dear Lucky: Here's your letter, an unusual one, to be sure, but the basic concept is one with which I agree. Not everyone could have pulled it off, but how wonderful that it worked for you. Thanks for sharing.

Dear Ann: Recently you wrote that when you saw a preschooler standing on the seat of a car while waiting for a stop light, you were tempted to roll down your window and shout, "Don't you care what happens to your child?"

I do better than that, Ann. When I see a youngster with his arm hanging out a window or standing on a seat, I write a postal card addressed to the car's license number and send it to the State Highway Department with a request that they forward it to the owner. I write thereon: "I saw you risk your child's life today, Saturday, Feb. 3. Please be more careful."

I realize my cards might never reach the drivers, but I feel better knowing I tried. Please pass on the suggestion.— Lubbock, Tex., Reader

Dear Lub: In Illinois this is how such complaints are handled: The State Highway Department forwards the card to the Information and Education section of the Illinois State Police. This department then tries to contact the offender and let him know he was observed being careless.

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AAUW Branch plans dinner and program

The annual dinner-meeting for the Dixon Branch, American Association of University Women, is scheduled for 6:30 p.m. Monday in the Brown Shingle Restaurant.

The evening's guest speaker, J. Terry Iversen, academic coordinator of the Extension in International Affairs at the University of Illinois, will discuss "New Great Power Relationships and Prospects for Peace."

The dinner and program will also be attended by members of the AAUW Branch in Sterling, and Mrs. James Higby will serve as chairman of the evening's hostess committee.

Social Calendar

Tonight

Palmyra Grange card party, Palmyra Grange Hall, 8 p.m.

Sunday

Palmyra Ladies Aid Society mid-winter picnic, Harold Newcomer residence, 1 p.m.

Corinthian Shrine past worthy high priestesses and watchmen of shepherds, Masonic Temple, 6:30 p.m.

St. Patrick's Catholic Church Altar and Rosary Society card party, St. Mary's School Cafeteria, 7:30 p.m.

Monday

Dixon Woman's Club Garden Division, Loveland House, 1:30 p.m.

Chapter AC, PEO Sisterhood, Mrs. Willard E. Beanblosson, 1:45 p.m.

Dixon AAUW Branch, Brown Shingle, 6:30 p.m.

First United Methodist Church WSCS executive board, church parlor, 7:30 p.m.

Preceptor Chapter, Beta Sigma Phi Sorority, Mrs. Wendell Snell, 8 p.m.

UN is a major tour attraction

People are pretty much the same everywhere; they are curious; they love to go and see places and people, especially the unusual and the important; there is a bit of the tourist in all of us.

One attractive and interesting place to "come and see" is the United Nations, a 16-acre plot of international territory in the center of New York City, variously called the Capital of the World, the Glass House, and the Workshop for Peace. Officially occupied as the permanent headquarter over twenty years ago when the General Assembly was called to order in the Great Hall in October 1952, the site has been seen, photographed, picketed, admired and toured by millions of people from all parts of the world who have come to this place for a multitude of reasons.

One-Hour Tour

It is fun— and educational— to take a one-hour guided tour of the buildings, to see the interesting art works representing many cultures, and to visit the chambers where world issues in their many complexities are debated by delegates from 132 member states. The visitor is shown the stained glass window designed by Marc Chagall in memory of Dag Hammarskjold, one of the largest tapestries in the world as a gift from Belgium, a painting brought by Pope Paul VI when he visited the UN in 1965, a moon rock, a model of the first sputnik and many more interesting artifacts and paintings.

The guides themselves are another good reason to come to the United Nations. There are about 60 girls on the guide staff from 35 countries, and they can give tours in about 30 languages and dialects. A UN guide must be between the ages of 20 and 30, be fluent in English and have a college degree or its equivalent. A second or even a third foreign language is not unusual among the girls.

Another interesting facet of the UN tours is that the handicapped are also served with special attention. A wheelchair tour is not uncommon, and the deaf and the blind and those handicapped by nervous disorders are given individual attention, an "eyeball to eyeball" tour of one guide assigned to an individual visitor. This is the human side of a big, complex organization of sovereign member states.

Guides

The guides receive careful training and supervision in presenting information about the UN because they are international employes who must maintain a high standard of performance. Guiding is strenuous, responsible, demanding much patience and understanding.

In the twenty years in which guided tours have been given, nearly twenty million people have visited the United Nations. Both the older generation and the new one born since the organization was established will want to come and see and learn about this "Capital of the World."

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The business side of the news

IF ECOLOGY keeps making strides, a lot of us may come to this, what has happened in Porto Marghera, Italy, a suburb of Venice. The Venice labor office ordered 205 plants to equip some 50,000 workers with gas masks as protection against chemical fumes.

Dispute cost of living statistics

By JOHN CUNNIFF
AP Business Analyst

NEW YORK (AP) — The public has become accustomed during the past few years to receiving some very distasteful cost-of-living figures sauced over with official comment that things were better than they seemed.

If the news looks bad, it is often so only because of the interpretation given the facts by newsmen without educated tastes. If it is good, well then it is proof that the pudding is delectable.

Thus it was that, last July, newsmen were admonished for using raw cost-of-living figures—figures which do not take into consideration expected, seasonal variations in conditions.

"To look at these figures in an unadjusted way is like looking out the window at night and saying there is an eclipse," said Dr. Herbert Stein, chairman of the President's Council of Economic advisers.

On the same day, Stein was pleased to interpret and extol a sharp increase in economic growth and a fall in the inflation rate as "the best combination of economic news to be released in one day this decade."

Secretary of Agriculture Earl L. Butz has now done something of the sort again—not that the performance hasn't been repeated before. What makes Butz' commentary unique is that he has served the sauce before the pudding.

Some bad news is due this week. The Cost of Living Index, prepared by the Labor Department, will be released and will show, Butz says, a rise of "2 to 3 per cent or something like that."

That would be, by his own calculation, the biggest monthly rise in 20 or 25 years. It is a rate that by any intelligent interpretation is a cause for serious concern in a nation fighting for its economic stability.

But the news media have been preblamed. The public already has been told by the secretary that the figures may be interpreted by the big city and urban press in a grossly unfair manner.

"During the last two months, we had seasonal wintertime rises in farm prices, largely due to weather and transportation shortages," he said. The increase therefore shouldn't be interpreted on an annual basis.

On such a basis, which the government uses for inflation, jobs, housing starts, balance of payments, budget surpluses and deficits and the like, food prices in January rose at a 24 to 36 per cent annual rate.

But, said Butz, "that use of statistics is like saying if you have a cold this week it is as an annual rate of 52 colds a year.

Insurance sales peak in December

Americans buy more life insurance in the month of December than in any month of the year.

Is this because of the Christmas spirit? Or perhaps New Year's resolutions?

Well, the exact reasons are not known, but statistics compiled by the Institute of Life Insurance show that there is a flurry of life policy buying just before Christmas each year.

For example, last year Americans bought $20 billion of life insurance protection in December, compared with $17.5 billion purchased during August, the second biggest month for purchases.

According to the Institute, the probable reason for increased life insurance buying during the last month of the year reflects the desire of people to get their personal finances in good order for the coming year.

John W. Caluwaert has joined the law firm of Dixon, Devine, Ray and Morin. A graduate of St. Ambrose College, he received his law degree from John Marshall Law School, Chicago. Caluwaert served in the Ogilvie administration as associate counsel for the Department of General Services. He and his wife, Lorraine, live at 1212 Ogletree Place. They have a five-month-old daughter, Kimberly. (Telegraph Photo).

Amboyan retires

AMBOY — Kenneth Eastman recently retired after 28 years at the same place of employment.

Eastman began work at the Amboy Milk Products Company in March 1945 and has continuously worked at the plant which is now the Amboy Sterile Packaging Company, a division of Dean Foods.

He concluded his duties there on Jan. 31 and was presented an engraved wrist watch by fellow employes and the company.

Employe honored

Delroy Long was recently presented with a company pin designating he has worked 35 years for the Dixon Home Telephone Company and Central Telephone Company of Illinois in Dixon.

He started his career November 15, 1937, and has held various positions as follows: postal telegraph messenger, which was part of the Telephone Company functions, central office department maintenance man, wire chief, plant superintendent, and district plant superintendent, which he holds at present.

He was in the service of the United Satates Army, communications, field, from November, 1942 through April, 1946 and is a member of Dixon Industrial Council, Chamber of Commerce, Rotary Club, and Grace United Methodist Church.

Delroy lives at 1523 4th St., with his wife, Donna and one son, Cyril. They have two other sons, Brandon, who is married and lives in Dixon and Monte, who is attending school at Michigan State.

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Television listings

TONIGHT

FEBRUARY 24

6:30 Gomer Pyle 8
Dick Van Dyke 9
Electric Company 12
Truth or Consequences 13
Wait 'Til Your Father Gets Home 17
The Saint 23
7:00 All in the Family 4
Here We Go Again 8, 13
Pro Hockey 9
Emergency 17
"Rules of the Game" 12, 21
Burke's Law 32
7:30 Bridget Loves Bernie 4, 23
A Touch of Grace 8, 13
8:00 Mary Tyler Moore 4, 23
"I Walk the Line" 6, 17
Julie Andrews 8, 13
"Man of the West" 32
8:30 Bob Newhart 4, 23
9:00 Carol Burnett 4, 23
The Men 8, 13
Mysterious Mr. Eliot 12, 21
9:30 Alfred Hitchcock 9
10:00 News 4, 6, 8, 9, 13, 17
Bolero 12, 21
N.Y.P.D. 23
Candid Camera 32
10:15 "Where Love Has Gone" 8
10:30 UFO 4
"Ballad of Josie" 6
"Invasion of the Body Snatchers" 9
Book Beat 21
David Susskind 12
Theatre 13 13
"Can-Can" 23
"Sahara" 32
Kup's Show 17
11:30 Outer Limits 4
News 13
12:00 "It Came form Outer Space" 9
12:30 "Frankenstein Meets the Wolfman" 8
Reaching Up 32
1:00 News 32
1:40 News 9
2:00 News 8
"Marked Woman" 9
3:50 Judd 9
4:55 News 9

SUNDAY all day

February 25

6:30 Across the Fence 8
6:40 Five Minutes to Live By 9
6:45 News 9
6:55 Great Bible Stories 4
7:00 Across the Fence 4
Midwest Sportsman 8
Cartoon Corner 9
Old Time Gospel 17
Mass for Shut-ins 13
7:30 Cathedral of Tomorrow 4
Gospel Sing 8
Growing Edge 9
This Is the Life 17
Day of Discovery 13
Across the Fence 23
7:45 What's New 9
8:00 Archie's Funhouse 23
This Is the Life 6
Dialogue 8
Mass for Shut-ins 9
Billy James Hargis 13
Revival Fires 17
Day of Discovery 32
8:30 Revival Fires 4
Morning Worship 6
Project 8 8
Oral Roberts 13
Rev. Rex Humbard 17
Harlem Globetrotters 23
Reaching Out 32
8:45 Chicagoland Church Hour 9
9:00 Lamp Unto My Feet 4, 23
Rocky 6
Curiosity Shop 8, 13
Hour of Power 32
9:30 Look Up & Live 4, 23
Underdog 6
I Love Lucy 9
Herald of Truth 17
9:50 Johnny Quest 6
10:00 Camera Three 4
Good News 8
Gideon C.I.D. 9
Bullwinkle 13
"Fireman Save My Child" 17
U of I Pres. 23
Oral Roberts 32
10:15 Kid Stuff 6
10:30 Oral Roberts 4
Kaleidoscope 6
"Argentine Nights" 8
"Here Comes the Girls" 23
Make a Wish 13
"Terror In a Texas Town" 32
11:00 This Is the Life 4
Rapping 6
Issues Unlimited 9
All-Star Wrestling 13
11:30 Meet the Press 6, 17
Face the Nation 4
Chicago at Large 9
12:00 All-Star Wrestling 8
"If a Man Answers" 6
LPGA Classic 4
"The Woman In Green" 9
Dick Rogers 13
U. of I. Pres't. 17
Showcase 23
Roller Derby 32
12:30 LPG Classic
Echoes 17
Joy To the World 13
1:00 It Is Written 4
Religious Special 17
"The Brain From Planet Arous" 32
Superstars of Sports 8, 13
1:30 This Is Augustana 4
"Heaven Knows Mr. Allison" 9
Senators Report 23
1:45 TBA 23
2:00 U. of I. Pres. Message 4
Hockey 6, 17
Water World 23
2:30 Gene Williams 4
Sports Spectular 23
Munsters 32
3:00 Golf 4
American Sportsman 8, 13
3:30 Book Beat 21

Dixon Cable TV will broadcast a replay of Saturday night's basketball game between the Dixon Dukes and Harlem on Monday, beginning at 6 p.m. on Channel 7.

BASKETBALL
SUNDAY, Feb. 25
3:45 NBA 8, 13
SATURDAY, March 3
12:30 South Carolina—Notre Dame 17
1:00 Wild Card 4, 13
1:30 Oklahome State—Missouri 6
2:30 Memphis State—St. Louis 17
3:00 Mich. State—Northwestern 4, 23, 32
3:30 Nebraska—Kansas State 6
Abbott & Costello 32
3:45 NBA Basketball 8, 13
4:00 "The Proud Rebel" 9
Across the Fence 12
Harry Caray 23
Speaking Freely 21
4:30 Sports Illustrated 4, 23
Virgil Ward 6
New Testament 12
NFL Highlights 17
5:00 Hockey Highlights 6, 17
Hathayoga 21
Sixty Minutes 4, 23
Water World 32
5:30 Insight 12
News 6, 17
Championship Fishing 32
360 Degrees 21
6:00 Gentle Ben 4
Wild Kingdom 6
Streets of San Francisco 8
65th Auto Show 9
Zoom 12, 21
Lawrence Welk 13
News 17
Quest for Life 23
Avengers 32
6:30 Dick Van Dyke 4, 23
Ringling Bros & Barnum & Bailey Circus 6, 17
Chancellor's Report 21
French Chef 12
7:00 M-A-S-H 4, 23
FBI, 8, 13
Charlie Chaplin 12
Roller Game of Week 32
7:30 Mannix 4, 23
Country Western Hit Parade 6, 17
Your Right to Say It 9
Book Beat 12
French Chef 21
8:00 "Paint Your Wagon" 8, 13
Fun at the Races 9
Point Counter Point 12, 21
8:30 Barnaby Jones 4, 23
Get Happy 6
This Is Your Life 9
9:00 Kup Show 12
Lawrence Welk 9
Firing Line 21
Of Lands & Seas 32
9:30 Parent Game 4
Young Dr. Kildare 6
Sanford & Son 17
Protectors 23
10:00 News 4, 6, 9, 17, 23
American Family 21
Jonathan Winters 32
10:30 At Issue 4
"Boom" 6
"The Mask of Dimitrious" 9
Wrestling 12
"The Blue Max" 17
"My Favorite Spy" 23
"Death of a Scoundrel" 32
11:00 News 8, 13
11:15 "The Fighting 69th" 8
11:30 This Is Your Life 13
12:00 News 6
Horizons Unlimited 13
12:15 With This Ring 13
12:30 News 9
12:45 Consultation 32
1:00 Cromie Circle 9
Issues & Answers 8
1:15 News 32
1:30 News 8
2:00 Senators Report 8
2:30 News 9

Daytime programs Monday through Friday

6:00 News 9
6:05 Top O' Morning 9
6:30 New Zoo Revue 9
6:54 Plain Talk 6
6:55 Great Bible Stories 4
Agriculture 6
7:00 CBS News 4
Today 6, 17
Ray Rayner 9
Good Morning 13
News 8
7:30 Various Programs 8
7:45 Georgia on Q 8
7:53 Community Calendar 23
7:55 What's It All About 13
Our Changing World 23
8:00 Captain Kangaroo 4, 23
Garfield Goose 9
Sesame Street 13
8:30 ETV Series 8
Romper Room 9
9-9:15 a.m. (Monday) Understanding God's Way 7
9:00 Joker's Wild 4, 23
Dinah's Place 6, 17
(Mondays) Exploring World of Science 13
I Love Lucy 9
Mike Douglas 13
9:30 Concentration 6, 17
Roy Leonard 9
Price Is Right 4, 23
10:00 Gambit 4, 23
Sale of Century 6, 17
Romper Room 8
Living Easy 9
All My Children 13
10:30 Love of Life 4, 23
Hollywood Squares 6, 17
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by GEORGE LAMB

Lee County to mark 134th year

(Editor's Note: Feb. 17, 1973, marks the 134th birthday of Lee County. The article following first appeared in "Historical Reminiscences" and is reprinted here to mark the important local date.)

Lee County, as we know it today, was once part of the holdings of Spain, France, England, the Commonwealth of Virginia, the Northwest Territory, Indiana Territory, Illinois Territory and all or part of 13 different Illinois counties until, in 1839, it gained its own identity and proceeded from that point on to become one of the better and more stable county areas in the state of Illinois.

Of course, to be perfectly factual, long before Europeans either discovered America or knew that the land that Lee County now covers existed, Indians of many tribes claimed the land as their won.

The early mound building Indian tribes of centuries past most certainly lived in the Lee County area, as evidence of their existence has been uncovered in several different sections of the county.

In addition to the mound builders, various other Indian tribes such as the Sauk, Fox, Potawatami, Miami, Kickapoo and Winnebago lived in this vicinity at one time or another.

The Spanish, having begun settlement in Florida in 1565, laid claim to all the land in the Mississippi River Valley (of which they considered even the future Lee County a part) with the explorations of Hernando De Soto in the 1540s.

The 1673 journey of Marquette and Joliet through the Illinois country gave the French the claim to the Lee County area and, in 1749 when the Ohio Company was chartered by King George II of England, the British laid claim to all the area in the rich river valleys.

The French (who didn't recognize the British claims) and the British (who had laid a rather late claim to the area after years of concentrating their efforts on the Atlantic seaboard colonies) soon went to war over the western part of the rapidly emerging new country.

The British finally defeated the French and established the Northwest Territory, of which the future Lee County was a part. By the year 1778, George Rogers Clark, acting for the Commonwealth of Virginia, drove all influence the British had established and maintained in the Illinois country out of existence.

County organization in Illinois dates back to 1779 when the "County of Illinois" was started by the legislative enactment of Virginia. Captain John Todd was appointed "County Lieutenant Commander" and was instructed to organize the county government with the county seat at Kaskaskia; an organization which, in fact, never succeeded.

In 1784, the State of Virginia surrendered to the Federal government all claims to this territory and three years later "An Act for the Government of the Territory of the United States Northwest of the Ohio River" was passed by the United States Congress.

Under this ordinance, Gen. Arthur St. Clair was appointed governor of the territory and, in 1790, organized by proclamation the county of St. Clair; so named in honor of himself. This then, gave the new land area two counties; Knox and St. Clair.

On October 5, 1795, Randolph County was organized and six years later all three existing counties were made a part of the Territory of Indiana according to a proclamation by William Henry Harrison, Governor of the Territory.

Nathaniel Pope, then Secretary and Acting Governor of the newly formed Illinois Territory, on April 28, 1809, issued a proclamation continuing St. Clair, Knox and Randolph counties without a change in boundaries.

By 1812 the Illinois Territory had attracted a great many pioneers and settlers and further development of the state made necessary the addition of three new counties; Madison, Gallatin and Johnson.

The procamation establishing these three new areas was issued by Gov. Ninian Edwards and was followed two years later with the establishment of Edwards and White counties.

In the following year (1816) Monroe, Jackson, Pope and Crawford counties came into being followed the next year by Bond County. On January 2, 1818, three new counties were created (Franklin, Union and Washington) and these were to be the last counties of territorial origin as Illinois was granted statehood status by the end of the year.

To this point in history (1818), then, the area now covered by Lee County had been a part of seven Illinois counties: Knox, St. Clair, Madison, Edwards, Crawford, Bond and Clark.

Prior to gaining statehood all Illinois counties that had northern boundary lines, automatically had their northern lines drawn clear to the Canadian border. However, with the admission of Illinois to the Union, the counties of Madison, Bond and Crawford no longer extended north to Canada, but had for their northern limit the present northern boundary of the state.

Lee County, by 1821, became just a small piece of the rather large county of Pike and remained so for only two years, until 1823, when Fulton county was a designated area and Lee became a part of it.

Putnam County, which had been established in 1825, included the present Lee County and, in addition, all of several counties that exist today; Cook, Will, DuPage, Lake, Kane, etc. In fact, Putnam County, which today is the smallest county geographically in the state, was at this time one of the largest and contained land area that today has the greatest concentration of population in the state.

Lee remained a part of Putnam County for only two years or until Jo Daviess County was formed. It remained so for several years until the county of La Salle was begun and Lee became a section of it.

This held true for five years until 1836 when Lee County became a southern section of Ogle County. It was during the period of 1830 and 1836 that Dixon's Ferry had come into being, development of a village had begun and the population of the state continued to move northward and fill in almost every section of land that was available.

At that time of the first term of the Ogle County Circuit Court, there was no courthouse building available so session were convened on October 2, 1837, in the James Wilson Blacksmith shop near "Father" Dixon's home and business at Dixon's Ferry.

This was a satisfactory arrangement as far as local citizens were concerned, but to those living in Northern Ogle County and what was then called Oregon City, the arrangement was less than satisfactory. These Oregon City people decided that their town should be the center of county government so when the court met in its next session in August, 1838, the meeting was held in John Phelps's home there.

Constant pressure was applied by residents of the northern part of the county to maintain the county seat in Oregon City while an equal amount of the same type of pressure was being applied by southern county residents to have the center of activity located in Dixon's Ferry.

John Dixon, in a move to have the county seat moved back to his community, offered a square block of "High and clear ground" to the Ogle County Commissioners in order to convince them that Dixon's Ferry was the best location for a court house.

Finally, in 1839, John Dixon and other leading public figures of the time appealed to the state legislature and were powerful enough to have a separate county designated out of the southern portion of Ogle County. In this same year (1839) fifteen new counties were formed, a greater number than in any other year in the state's history and equal in number to all that have since been created.

On February 27, 1839, then, Lee County (named after Gen. Richard Henry "Light Horse Harry" Lee, father of the commanding general of the southern forces in the War Between The States) was formed after land that it now covers had been a part or all of the claims of four countries, one commonwealth, three territorities and 13 different Illinois counties.

Completes course

Ronald Rick, partner in River Park Marina, recently completed the two-week factory service school program at the Johnson Outboards complex in Waukegan.

He was part of a class drawn from Johnson dealerships throughout the world which explored the finer points of the famous Sea-Horse line of outboard motors.

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1:30 Edge of Night 4, 23
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2:00 Love Is a Many Splendored Thing 4, 23
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What's My Line 9
Another World 6, 17
2:30 Secret Storm 4, 23
Return to Peyton Place 6, 17
One Life to Live 8, 13
Beat the Clock 9
My Favorite Martian 32
3:00 Mike Douglas 4
Somerset 6
Merv Griffin 17
Georgia on Q 8
Mr. Ed 9
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Love American Style 13
Vin Scully 23
Felix the Cat 32
3:30 Captain Ernie 6
Green Acres 8
Gilligan's Island 9
Various Programs 12
Bewitched (Mondays) 13
Bugs Bunny 13
Afternoon Movie 23
Magilla Gorilla 32
3:45 Speed Racer 32
3:55 Sportsclub 13
4:00 Munsters 8
Big Valley 4
Flintstones 9
Misterogers 12, 21
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Sesame Street 12, 21
Daniel Boone 17
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5:00 Gilligan's Island 4
Truth or Consequences 6
News 8, 13
Felony Squad 17
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5:05 News 9
5:25 Our Changing World 23
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I Dream of Jeannie 9
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Hodgepodge Lodge 21
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MONDAY evening

FEBRUARY 26

6:00 Andy Griffith 9
Carrascolendas 12
Truth or Consequences 13
Your Future Is Now 21
That Girl 32
6:25 Comment 6
6:30 Wait 'Til Your Father Gets Home 4
I Dream of Jeannie 6, 17
Dragnet 8, 23
Dick Van Dyke 9
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7:00 Gunsmoke 4, 23
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7:30 Mayberry 32
8:00 Lucy 4, 23
"Murderers Row" 8, 13
Evening at Pops 12
"The Strangler" 6, 17
Hogan's Heroes 9
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8:30 Doris Day 4, 23
Book Beat 21
Dragnet 9
9:00 Bill Cosby 4, 23
Perry Mason 9
Of Lands & Seas 12, 32
Western Civilization 21
9:30 Garden Almanac 21
10:00 News 4, 6, 8, 9, 13, 17, 23
Consultation 12
Firing Line 21
Honeymooners 32
10:30 "Dracula Prince of Darkness" 4, 23
Tonight 6, 17
Dragnet 8
"Something Wild" 9
World of Entertainment 13
Norman Corwin 12
"Homecoming" 32
11:00 "To Hell With Heroes" 8
Welcome To Fillmore East 12
12:00 News 6, 13
It Takes a Thief 17
12:15 Not for Women Only 13
12:45 Jerry G. Bishop 32
News 9
1:00 Felony Squad 32
Opportunity Line 8
1:15 "Five Golden Hours" 9
1:30 News 8, 32
3:00 News 9

TUESDAY evening

FEBRUARY 27

6:00 Andy Griffith 9
Efficient Reading 12
Truth or Consequences 13
Hathayoga 21
That Girl 32
6:25 Comment 6
6:30 Hee Haw 4
Adam 12 6
This Is Your Life 8
Dick Van Dyke 9
Let's Make a Deal 13
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Electric Company 12, 21
Big Valley 23
Petticoat Junction 32
7:00 "I Love a Mystery" 6, 17
Temperatures Rising 8, 13
Hockey 9
To Be Free 12
Eye to Eye 21
Green Acres 32
7:30 Hawaii Five-O 4, 23
"Connection" 8, 13
Bill Moyers Journal 12, 21
Mayberry 32
8:00 Behind the Lines 12, 21
Thriller 32
8:30 "Call To Danger" 4, 23
Black Journal 12, 21
9:00 Marcus Welby 8, 13
America 6, 17
Olympiad 12
Wildlife Theatre 21
Of Lands & Seas 32
9:30 Marquee 21
Dragnet 9
10:00 News 4, 6, 8, 9, 13, 17, 23
Four Dimensions 12
Honeymooners 32
10:30 "All the Fine Young Cannibals" 4, 23
Tonight 6, 17
Dragnet 8
"Invitation To a Gunfighter" 9
"So Well Remembered" 12
World of Entertainment 13
"Rage In Heaven" 32
11:00 "Touch of Evil" 8
American Odyssey 12
12:00 News 6, 13
The Untouchables 17
12:15 Not for Women Only 13
News 9
Jerry G. Bishop 32
News 9
12:30 Felony Squad 32
12:45 Project 8 8
1:00 "The Soldier" 9
News 32
1:20 News 8
3:00 News 9

WEDNESDAY evening

FEBRUARY 28

6:00 Andy Griffith 9
Management Concepts 12
Truth or Consequences 13
Your Future Is Now 21
That Girl 32
6:25 Comment 6
6:30 Maude 4, 23
Emergency 6
Survival 8
Hockey 9
Electric Company 12, 21
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7:00 Sonny & Cher 4, 23
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10:30 "Kid Rodelo" 4, 23
Tonight 6, 17
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"Boy, Did I Get a Wrong Number" 9
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12:00 News 6, 13
Untouchables 17
12:15 Not for Women Only 13
12:30 News 9
12:45 Jerry G. Bishop 32
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1:00 "Follow A Star" 9
1:30 Felony Squad 32
1:15 News 8
1:30 News 32
3:00 News 9

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March 1

6:00 Andy Griffith 9
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Dick Van Dyke 9
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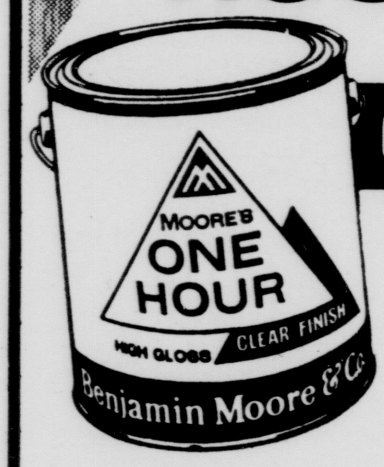

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6:45 News 9
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Bob Crane, for the second year, will be the on-camera host of this 90-minute preview of the major automobile manufacturers' 1973 models and dream cars of the future. Crane's credits include his role as the star of "Hogan's Heroes," on Channel 9 Monday through Thursday 8 to 8:30 p.m.

Interviews with a variety of outstanding sports personalitites and performances by nationally known entertainers will also be featured during the colorcast.

Johnnie Ray, Johnny Desmond, Julie Wilson, George Shearing and The Step Brothers are among those performing, with Robert Trendler and the WGN Orchestra providing the musical accompaniment.

WGN Television will utilize a small completely self-contained mobile unit holding two camera chains and associated equipment plus miniaturized video tape equipment at McCormick Place.

Jack Jacobson, WGN Television program manager, is the executive producer; Allen Hall, producer-writer-director, and Don Knautz, manager of production for the colorcast of the Automobile Show. Directors are as yet to be announced.

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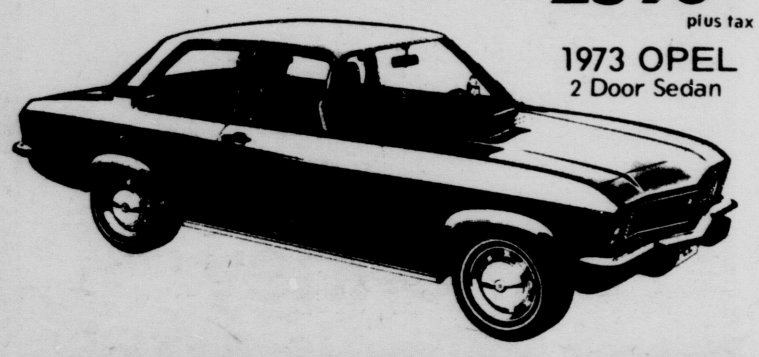

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THE M-A-S-H CLUB: Only hard-working gung ho actors need apply.

By DICK KLEINER

HOLLYWOOD — (NEA) — Whether or not M-A-S-H becomes a big hit is still in the lap of the ratings but it already occupies a unique spot in TV history.

I doubt that any previous television show has a cast with as much enthusiasm as this one. A visit to the M-A-S-H set is enough to substantiate that claim. Just look around, on the soundstage at Fox, and what do you see?

All the cast between shots is working on the script. With other shows the cast members are off, reading or knitting or doing crossword puzzles. Not here.

In one corner of the stage, Alan Alda and Loretta Swit are running over their lines. There's another huddle between Lary Linville and Wayne Rogers. And a third with Gary Burghoff and McLean Stevenson.

Alda says the cast is so enthusiastic that they often rehearse on their own for hours after the day's shooting is wrapped up. They have even been known to get together at somebody's house, over the weekend, to rehearse some more.

This is unheard of in television. Generally TV show casts have the enthusiasm of a sleepy sloth.

Alda attributes the M-A-S-H experience to two factors — one, they're all stage-trained actors and, two, they all love the show.

This enthusiasm has taken a curious twist. Many of them are trying to write show episodes. Stevenson and Alda already have and Burghoff is working on a script. He was writing his, in longhand, when he wasn't rehearsing.

All this doesn't preclude the usual on-set fun and games, however. A Hollywood set without pranks would be like a hamburger without meat.

On the M-A-S-H set, for example, it's interesting to read the actors' chairs. Generally on the back of a canvas chair is the actor's name. Here, however, there is more.

Burghoff's chair reads: "DANGER! This chair was last used in San Quentin. Sit in it and get the shock of your life." And Stevenson's says: "If your name isn't McLean Stevenson, you're sitting on him."

There is also a sign posted on the operating room set. This is a permanent set, roped off because it wasn't in use. The set designer didn't want anyone moving things around, however, and had posted this sign on the the ropes:

"Keep away. This set is protected by a gypsy curse."

The script they were shooting was the one Alan Alda had written. Of all the actors on the show, Alda had the reputation of being the toughest on writers. He's the one who always questions words and asks for rewrites.

This time, however, the script was on the other foot. As the writer he was defending his words. At one point director Bill Wiard decided to change one of the lines.

"Do you mind, Alan?" Wiard asked him.

"No," said Alda. "I don't think I mind." But you could tell he did, at least a little bit.

The soundstage at Fox where they shoot has one intriguing feature. The set is the hospital compound, seven or eight tents, trees on a plain dirt floor. But the dirt floor isn't a dirt floor at all. It's rubber, molded to look like dirt.

"This could be a vary popular floor covering," one of the crew said. "Think how it would go over with hippies —they could have wall-to-wall dirt."

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Rockford's Janet Lynn hosts "Peace and Love"

Janet Lynn shares the honor with Peggy Ann Fleming of being the only Americans who have won the United States National Figure Skating Championship five years in a row.

"Peace and Love — Janet Lynn," a half-hour special which tells the story of this 19-year-old, will be presented Tuesday at 9:30 p.m. on Channel 9.

Janet's last victory came on January 28th. Now she is preparing to travel to Czechoslobakia for the world championships which begin February 27. The contest for the world title appears to be between Janet and Canada's Karen Magnuson.

This pixie blonde skated for the first time at age two-and-a-half. This special includes film of her skating at ages 4, 6, 8, and then at 9 when she was already considered one of the best in the country in her age group. The program includes film of Janet's winning the 1972 and 1973 National Championships.

Nearly everyone recognizes Janet's smile. "Peace and Love" tells the background to that smile — a young girl's love for skating and people. A young girl who says, "God has given me the talent to skate, and I don't skate to win titles . . . only to give enjoyment to those who watch."

Janet talks about the things she has missed in growing up with nearly every spare moment spent on the ice; discusses the closeness of her family, necessary in order that Janet could become a champion, and tells what the future holds for her.

Viewers learn that Janet's family sold a pharmacy in Chicago, when Janet was only eight years old, to move to Rockford so Janet could be closer to her coach. Her 73-year-old grandfather got up each morning at 5 o'clock to drive Janet to the rink for pre-school practice.

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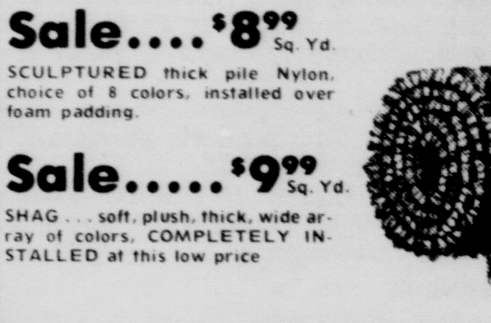

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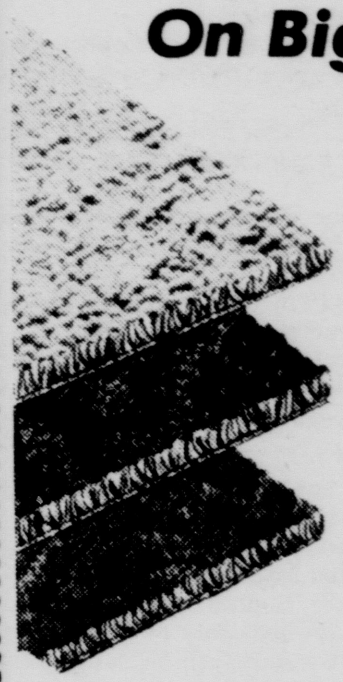

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'Cat Dancing' marked as hit

By DICK KLEINER

HOLLYWOOD—(NEA)—Not since "True Grit" has a novel with a western setting inspired such enthusiasm among movie-makers. But now there is "The Man Who Loved Cat Dancing," and it has Big Movie Hit written all over it.

It has something "True Grit" didn't have — a love story to go with its action. That's like having James Bond meet the Planet of the Apes. It's sure-fire box office.

The property has been bought by Martin Poll and Eleanor Perry and they're trying to put together a cast. MGM will be the studio. Lots of rumors are flying around about the cast—you hear John Wayne mentioned (he's mentioned for everything, except maybe the sequel to "Mary Poppins") and Steve McQueen and Elliott Gould and Dustin Hoffman.

They should consult Marilyn Durham, the housewife from Evansville, Ind., who wrote the book. When she was working on it, she says, she kept a couple of people in mind for the key roles. She says she has a bad memory for faces so she had these people in her head so she'd never forget what her characters looked like.

For the girl, Julie Adams. For the girl's husband, Carroll O'Connor. And for the leading man, she stuck a poster of Lee Van Cleef up on her wall. In fact, it was a picture of Van Cleef looking mean and threatening, so she put it up on her refrigerator door and added the words, "Keep out." Mrs. Durham, you see, tends to put on weight. She says the poster didn't help her diet but it did help her book.

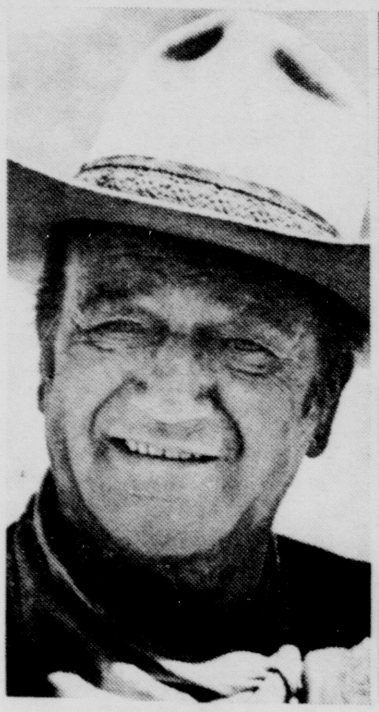
There ought to be a movie about Marilyn Durham, as well as a movie from her book. Her story is one of those Henrietta Alger affairs. You have every right not to believe it, it's so corny. But it's true unless everybody else has fallen for a hoax, too.

Marilyn Durham grew up in Evansville, went to school and college in Evansville, married in Evansville and still lives there. A bright girl, she always "wanted to do something," but never quite made it. She wanted to act, first, but that was "impossible." For awhile she wanted to paint but that wasn't quite it, either. And for a long time she wanted to write.

"As I inched up on 40," she says, "I felt depressed— I'd done nothing with my life. So I decided to write a novel."

For a year, she read novels and studied their formats. For a few more months she read books on how to write books. Then she had the old family typewriter cleaned, bought some paper and set up a card table in the bedroom.

Most first novels are autobiographical but not Mrs. Durham's. She says her own



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life was too dull for a book. She made up a story, set in the Old West, and began banging away at the typewriter. She didn't even tell her husband, Kilburn, "a bureaucrat with the Social Security Department." She didn't tell her two kids. She'd type after they'd gone to work and school, have things put away by the time they got home.

She did her research in the children's section of the Evansville Library. She didn't want to go deeper than that. At one point in the book, her heroine suffers a lot from a few days and nights in the wilds. She says that's from personal experience.

"Catherine's misery in the wilderness," she says, "is based entirely on my misery one weekend when I took a Girl Scout troop on an overnight encampment."

It took a long time to sell the book. It was rejected by a bunch of agents and publishers. But when it sold, it sold big, and she'll make a lot of money from book and movie.

The first fruits of her labors: She bought a new car for her husband and a used car for herself and she bought her daughter a horse. The cars were O.K., but the horse was a lemon—it had thrush, fungus and the back legs were pigeon-toed, but the girl likes it anyhow. Then her other daughter broke her collarbone "so I bought her a new collarbone." She bought them all new glasses and a new house.

She wrote a second novel, "Dutch Uncle," while waiting for "Cat Dancing" to sell. So she's in good shape. And she's enjoying success. Why not?

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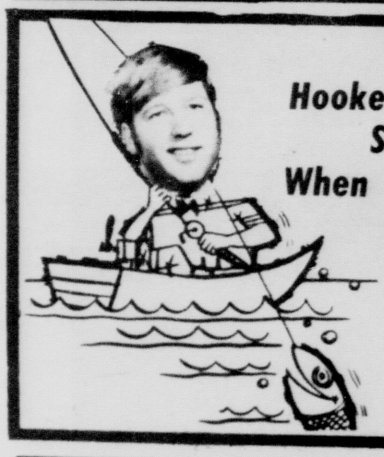

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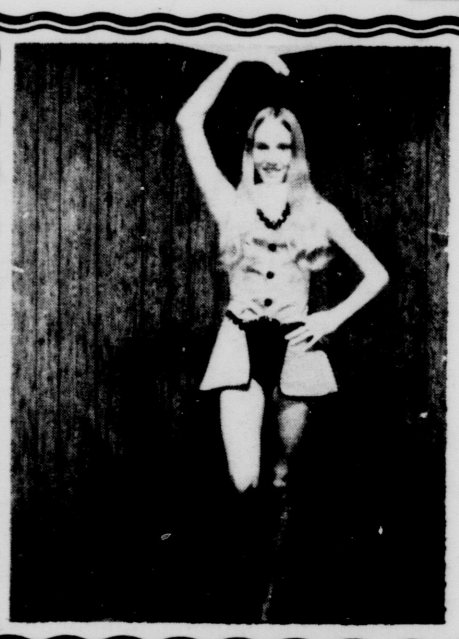

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Movie Guide

SATURDAY, Feb. 24

8:00 "I WALK THE LINE" G. Peck, T. Weld. Career of Tennessee sheriff is threatened because of his infatuation with young mountain girl. 6, 17

"MAN OF THE WEST" G. Cooper, J. London, L. J. Cobb. Gunslinger gone-straight if forced to join hold-up. 32

10:15 "WHERE LOVE HAS GONE" S. Hayward, B. Davis. Bitter divorced couple come together again briefly to save their daughter. 8

10:30 "BALLAD OF JOSIE" D. Day, P. Graves, G. Kennedy. Widowed frontierslady undertakes renovation of sheep ranch, incurring war with cattlemen. 6

"INVASION OF THE BODY SNATCHERS" K. McCarthy, D. Wynter, L. Gates. Invasion of Southern California by seeds of giant plants. 9

"CAN CAN" F. Sinatra, S. MacLaine, M. Chevalier, L. Jourdan. Montmartre dance hall owner constantly raided for performing the illegal Can Can. 23

"SAHARA" H. Bogart, D. Duryea, J. Carrol Naish. Story about British-American unit stranded in Sahara Desert. 32

12:05 "IT CAME FROM OUTER SPACE" R. Carlson, B. Rush, C. Drake. Weird happenings when meteor crashes in Arizona desert. 9

12:30 "FRANKENSTEIN MEETS THE WOLFMAN" L. Chaney, B. Lugosi. Man, cursed by turning into werewolf at night, seeks release. 8

SUNDAY, Feb. 25

10:00 "FIREMAN SAVE MY CHILD" Adele Jergens, Hugh O'Brian. Chaos reigns when fire station, manned by well-meaning band of nincompoops, receive first gasoline-driven fire engine. 17

10:30 "ARGENTINE NIGHTS" Ritz Bros., Andrew Sisters. To escape creditors Ritz Bros, and Andrew Sisters and an all-girl orchestra go to Argentina. 8

"HERE COME THE GIRLS" T. Martin, B. Hope, A. Dahl, R. Clooney, W. Demarest. When attempt is made on leading man's life, world's oldest chorus boy gets back to bait killer. 23

"TERROR IN A TEXAS TOWN" Sterling Hayden, Sebastian Cabot. Greedy financier moves into Texas town. 32

12:00 "IF A MAN ANSWERS" Sandra Dee, Bobby Darin. Young bride tries scheme to make her husband jealous. 6

"THE WOMAN IN GREEN" Basil Rathbone, Nigel Bruce, Hillary Brooke. Holmes solves the "finger murder." 9

1:00 "THE BRAIN FROM PLANET AROUS" John Agar, Joyce Meadows, Robert Fuller. Incredible space-brain invades human body, has destructive evil force. 32

1:30 "HEAVEN KNOWS, MR. ALLISON" R. Mitchum, D. Kerr. Amusing tale of a tough marine and a lovely nun marooned together on a Pacific atoll. 9

4:00 "THE PROUD REBEL" Alan Ladd, Olivia DeHavilland, Dean Jagger. After wife's death, man comes North searching for doctor who can help his mute son. 9

8:00 "PAINT YOUR WAGON" Lee Marvin, Clint Eastwood, Jean Seeberg. During the time of the Gold Rush. 8, 13

10:30 "BOOM" Richard Burton, Elizabeth Taylor, Noel Coward. Story of wealthy recluse who finds her domain invaded by a man who promises happiness. 6

"THE MASK OF DIMITRIOUS" Zachary Scott, Faye Emerson, Kurt Katch. Mystery writer sets out to unravel the life story of a notorious international spy. 9

"THE BLUE MAX" G. Peppard, J. Mason, U. Andress. 17

"MY FAVORITE SPY" Bob Hope, Hedy Lamarr, Francis L. Sullivan. Bob plays a dual rule: European spy and a burlesque comic who impersonates the spy. 23

"DEATH OF A SCOUNDREL" George Sanders, Zsa Zsa Gabor, Yvonne DeCarlo. Sabouin rises from penniless immigrant to powerful financier on strength of iron nerve. 32

11:15 "THE FIGHTING 69TH" J. Cagney, P. O'Brien. Exciting war story of recruits in 69th regiment during WW II and of one man's cowardice which turned to courage. 8

MONDAY, Feb. 26

3:30 "YOU'RE IN THE NAVY NOW" Gary Cooper, Jack Webb, Eddie Albert. 23

8:00 "THE STRANGER" Glenn Corbett, Cameron Mitchell, Sharon Acker. Astronaut crashes on another planet and becomes fugitive from the power structure. 6, 17

"Murderer's Row" Dean Martinas Matt Helm. 8, 13

10:30 "DRACULA, PRINCE OF DARKNESS" Christopher Lee. Eerie tale of Dracula's return to life after he had been dead 10 years. 4, 23

"SOMETHING WILD" Carroll Baker, Ralph Meer, Mildred Dunnock. Young girl, raped on her way home, keeps tragic story to herself. 9

"HOMECOMING" C. Gable, L. Turner, A. Baxter. Sophisticated married surgeon finds life on WW II battle fields is quite different from a fashionable practice. 32

11:00 "TO HELL WITH HEROES" Rod Taylor, Claudia Cardinale. Two pilots get involved in black-marketing ring. 8

11:15 "FIVE GOLDEN HOURS" Ernie Kovacs, Cyd Charisse, George Sanders. Professional mourner, who consoles rich widower, devises scheme to make him wealthy. 9

TUESDAY, Feb. 27

3:30 "THE GUY WHO CAME BACK" Paul Douglas, Joan Bennett, Linda Darnell. 23

7:00 "I LOVE A MYSTERY" I. Lupino, D. Hartman, L. Crane. Spoof on private detectives and murder mysteries. 6, 17

7:30 "CONNECTION" Charles Durining, Ronnie Cox, Zohra Lampert. Wild car chase climaxes an off-beat tale of hotel jewel thieves, colorful New York journalist and several million dollars worth of lies and tricks. 8, 13

8:30 "CALL TO DANGER" Peter Graves. 4, 23

10:30 "ALL THE FINE YOUNG CANNIBALS" R. Wagner, N. Wood, G. Hamilton, S. Kohner. Romantic drama about two young couples who discover they share mutual offspring. 4, 23

"INVITATION TO A GUNFIGHTER" Yul Brynner, Janice Rule, Brad Dexter. Hypocritical Western town hires killer to destroy returned outcast. 9

"SO WELL REMEMBERED" Portrays struggle of newspaper editor to rehabilitate conditions in a factory town. 12

"RAGE IN HEAVEN" R. Montgomery, I. Bergman. Wealthy, though mentally unbalanced young owner of steel mill persuades college friend to help him. 32

11:00 "TOUCH OF EVIL" C. Heston, J. Leigh. Mexican police official and bride en route to Mexico City are stopped at the border by a demolished car. 8

12:40 "THE SOLDIER" Frazer MacIntosh, Rade Markovic. Eleven-year-old son of Yugoslavian Partisan wanders off in search of his lost dog when he accidentally comes across German camp. Behind German lines he is able to help his father's friends . . . for a time. 9

WEDNESDAY, Feb. 28

3:30 "THE GIRL NEXT DOOR" Dan Dailey, June Haver, Dennis Day, Billy Graw. 23

7:30 "YOU'LL NEVER SEE ME AGAIN" D. Hartman, J. Campanella, J. Wyatt. Young wife mysteriously disappears after a quarrel with her husband and his frantic search uncovers evidence which implicates him as her murderer. 8, 13

10:30 "KID RODELO" D. Murray, J. Leigh, B. Crawford. Courageous drifter finds himself protecting girl from convicts. 4, 23

"BOY, DID I GET A WRONG NUMBER" Bob Hope, Elke Sommer, Phyllis Diller. French actress hides in hotel suite when she is not allowed to do dramatic role as promised and become entangled with real estate operator. 9

"THE GALLANT HOURS" J. Cagney, D. Weaver. Actual events in South Pacific campaign during WW II. 32

11:00 "OFF LIMITS" Bob Hope, Mickey Rooney. Bob's a fight manager who is drafted into the army. 8

1:00 "FOLLOW A STAR" Norman Wisdom, June Laverick, Hattie Jacques. Pants-presser dreams of fame as singer. 9

THURSDAY, March 1

3:30 "ONLY THE BEST" S. Hayward, B. Whiting, D. Dailey. 23

8:00 "HONOR THY FATHER" Brenda Vaccaro, Joseph Bologne. An inside view of underworld family life. 4, 23

10:30 "THE NIGHT OF THE IGUANA" Richard Burton, Ava Gardner, Sue Lyon, Deborah Kerr. Powerful drama. 4, 23

"A GUIDE FOR THE MARRIED MAN" W. Matthau, R. Morse, I. Stevens. Self-appointed teacher, himself an experienced philanderer, takes on task of "educating" a reluctant husband. 9

"HAUNTED HONEYMOON" R. Montgomery, C. Cummings. Dorothy Sayer's famed detective plans quiet wedding trip away from crime, but winds up trying to solve a murder. 32

11:00 "KING RAT" Pt. I. George Segal, Tom Courtenay. American corporal, one of 10,000 prisoners in Changi Prison, is despised by British marshal for wealth he has gained by trading with the enemy. 8

FRIDAY, March 2

3:30 "SIEGE AT RED RIVER" V. Johnson, J. Dru, R. Boone. 23

8:00 "MACKENNA'S GOLD" Gregory Peck, Omar Sharif. Dramatic story of a man's greed and lust for gold. 4

"RIO CONCHOS" Richard Boone, Tony Franciosa, Jim Brown, Stuart Whitman. Harrassed by bandits and Indians, four men cross the Texas desert. 23

10:30 "HOUSE OF USHER" Vincent Price. 4

"NEVADA SMITH" Steve McQueen, Karl Malden, Brian Keith. Young man whose parents are tortured and killed by three gunmen sets out to avenge their murders. 9

"KINGS GO FORTH" Frank Sinatra, Natalie Wood, Tony Curtis. American lieutenant on leave falls in love with girl who falls for his ne'er-do-well friend. 23

"BEAST OF THE DEAD" J. Ashley, C. Yarnall. Stories of green, human demons and the "evil one" have been linked with mysterious abductions on Blood Island. 32

11:00 "KING RAT" Pt. II. Geroge Segal, Tom Courtenay. 8

12:30 "THIS HAPPY FEELING" D. Reynolds, C. Jergens. 8

"THE INVISIBLE CREATURE" T. Wright, P. Dainton. Bored living in an eerie country house, a husband's desire for blonde leads to several attempts to kill his wife. 32

1:30 "SAGEBRUSH TRAIL" J. Wayne, L. Chandler. Falsely convicted of robbery, cowboy escapes to fing real outlaw. 9

SATURDAY, March 3

8:30 "HIGH SOCIEITY" . Gorcey, H. Hall, B. Gorcey. Bowery Boys are inveigle into plot to divert an inheritance. 9

9:45 "HERE COME THE COEDS" B. Abbott, L. Costello, P. Ryan. Confusion reigns at girl's college when Abbott and Costello attempt to pay off the mortgage. 9

10:00 "COMANCHE" D. Andrews, K. Smith. In summer of 1875, Comanches under Chief Quanah Parker raid Mexican town and take captive the daughter of a Spanish aristocrat. 32

12:00 "THE YELLOW SLIPPERS" 4, 23

"HE RIDES TALL" T. Young, D. Duryea, M. Rhue. Marshal postpones his marriage when he is forced to kill son of man who reared him. 6

1:00 "EVIL BRAIN FROM OUTER SPACE" Despite leader's assassination, Marpet Galaxy inhabitants keep his brain alive. 32

6:00 "SEND ME NO FLOWERS" R. Hudson, D. Day, T. Randall. Hypochondriac who believes he has only weeks to live, seeks second husband for his wife. 6

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Master Switch to perform in SVC concerts

Master Switch, a five-voice folk-rock music group, will appear in concert at both 11 a.m. and 8 p.m. on March 6, in the cafeteria at Sauk Valley College.

Michael Seguin, director of Student activities at SVC, said the contemporary rock group is coming to the area through the courtesy of Sauk Valley Campus Life, Dixon, which is directed by the Rev. Steve Joos.

Five young college students make up Master Switch, which offers the folk-rock sound of the guitar, bass, banjo, tambourine, mandolin and drums. They bring a vibrant, modern sound in music and a desire to share their beliefs and feelings with their own generation.

The Rev. Mr. Joos said Master Switch has been on tour this year crossing the U.S. to perform concerts, college and high school assemblies, beach and coffee house programs, and television and radio appearances. He said their music is geared toward involvement with people and their philosophy is based on a "balanced life" concept developed by Campus Life.

Both the morning and evening concerts are open to the public free of charge.

Amboy Calendar

AMBOY— Calendar of meetings and events scheduled at Amboy for the week of Feb. 25 through March 3.

Sunday

Members of Green River Saddle Club will meet at Clint Bonnell's to prepare for the annual pancake dinner.

Green Wing Bible Camp pancake and sausage supper from 4 to 8 p.m. in Farm Bureau Auditorium.

Youth groups meet at 6:15 and 6:30 p.m. in the First Baptist Church, followed by evening worship at 7:30 p.m.

Monday

Lions Club 25th anniversary dinner-meeting at 7 p.m. at the Emerald Hill Country Club.

Leaders of the United Methodist Church will meet with the Rev. Roger Braumeister at 7:30 p.m.

The executive board of the Chamber of Commerce will meet at 7:30 p.m. in the City Hall.

First game of the regional basketball tournament is at 7:30 p.m. in the high school with Walnut vs Ohio.

Tuesday

The high school chess club will play at La Salle-Peru at 6:30 p.m.

Newman High School vs La Moille at 7 p.m. in the regional tournament.

Red Cross first aid class meets at 7 p.m. at the fire station.

Rebecca Circle meets at 7:30 p.m. in Immanuel Lutheran Church.

An adjourned session of the City Council is at 7:30 p.m. in the City Hall.

Monthly business session of the board of trustees of Pankhurst Memorial Library is at 7:30 p.m.

Franklin Center High School will play Malden at 8:30 p.m. in the regional basketball tournament.

Wednesday

First day for candidates for the board of education to file nominating petitions for the April 14 election.

Members of the Immanuel Lutheran Church will have a work day at 9 a.m. at the church.

Kids Klub meets at 3:30 p.m. in Central School. The memory verse is Matthew 6:19-20a.

Midweek prayer service is at 7 p.m. in the First Baptist Church.

Business session of the township board is at 7:30 p.m. at Larry Morrissey's.

The high school basketball team will play in the regional tournament at the high school, at 7:30 p.m.

Thursday

Game five of the regional basketball tournament is at 7:30 p.m. at the high school.

Pilgrim Daughters of the First Congregational Church will meet at 7:30 p.m. at the church to work on Material Aids projects.

Green River Lodge IOOF meets at 8 p.m. in the lodge hall.

Friday

The annual World Day of Prayer service is set for 2 p.m. in the Immanuel Lutheran Church.

Finals in the regional basketball tournament are at 7:30 p.m. in the high school.

Green River Saddle Club meets at 7:30 p.m. at the clubhouse.

Regular meeting of Aurelia Rebekah Lodge is at 7:30 p.m. in the IOOF Hall.

Saturday

Amboy Evening Hobby Club will have annual night out with a 6:30 p.m. dinner at the Voyager Inn, Princeton.

Truck crash spills 3,000 gallons of oil

OREGON — A defective rear turn signal bulb was believed to be the cause of two trucks colliding Friday on Ill. 2, about four miles south of Byron. A Kaney Transportation Co. tanker overturned in the mishap spilling about 3,000 gallons of fuel oil.

Sheriff's police said both trucks were southbound on the highway when the tanker, driven by Ray M. Busjohn, 56, Freeport, attempted to pass and collided with the front of a Rockford Blacktop truck driven by Ishmael V. Whittington, 53, Rockford.

The tanker went out of control and left the roadway where the trailer overturned spilling the fuel, police said. The cab remained upright.

Whittington told police he had signalled to turn into a roadside rest area when the accident occurred. Further investigation by police revealed a burned out bulb at the rear of Whittington's truck. Whittington was charged with having defective equipment.

Considering 3 for scholarship

The Dixon Elks Youth Activities Committee announced that the following students are being considered for the annual Horace B. Streett Dixon Elks Nursing Scholarship Award.

Becky Louise Parke, Rt. 5, Dixon;

Linda Alice Swegle, 829 Zuend Court, Dixon; and Robin McRecia Lawson, 1524 W. 3rd St., Dixon.

The winner of the $100 scholarship will be announced at the annual St. Patrick's Dinner-Dance on March 17th.

Becky will attend Swedish-American Hospital School of Nursing, Rockford; Linda is enrolled at St. John's Hospital, Springfield, and Robin will attend Sauk Valley School of Nursing.

Nabbed by Rochelle police

OREGON — Al Solorio, 22, was being held in Ogle Countu jail today following his arrest Friday by Rochelle Police. A warrant was served on Solorio accusing him of non-payment of fines stemming from convictions on charges of disorderly conduct and public intoxication. The Rochelle man was scheduled to appear in court Monday.

Vote registration deadline March 5

The last day for voter registration prior to city, village and township elections, will be March 5, according to Ogle County Clerk, Helvie R. Wooding. Eligible voters may register in the clerk's office.

Cards of Thanks

A special thank you to Drs. Murphy and McFetridge, the nurses and aides on third floor at KSB Hospital for their excellent care and service and to friends and relatives for flowers, gifts, cards, visits, prayers and calls. It was greatly appreciated.

Mrs. Mildred Meade

We wish to thank our many relatives, friends and neighbors for cards, flowers and visits which helped to make our 67th Anniversary a happy day.

Mr. & Mrs. Elmer Ringler Sr.

We wish to thank our many friends and relatives for the lovely cards and gifts on our 50th Anniversary hosted by our son and wife. Will have many memories of the occasion.

Mr. & Mrs. Frank Spengler

We wish to thank all those who helped to make our 40th Anniversary a memorable occasion. To those who came to the open house, sent cards and gifts and especially to our daughters and families, a special thanks.

Harold & Hazel Angier

Tentative sentence

A 37-year-old Dixon man accused of forging a check in a men's clothing store pleaded guilty to the charge Friday and was tentatively sentenced to 1½ to 5 years in the state penitentiary. Leo G. Fredericks, who was returned from Arizona to face the charge, had been scheduled to appear in court Monday.

Judge William B. Phillips ordered a pre-sentence investigation be made by Ogle County authorities before the sentence is finalized. Terms of the sentence were the result of plea bargaining.

Fredericks was accused of cashing the check Oct. 19, 1972.

Steamed window blamed in crash

ROCHELLE— An automobile accident occurred at 6:30 a.m. Friday when John Payne, 63, 602 S. Second St., was traveling north on S. Main Street and struck a car owned by Kenneth J. Williams, 24, parked at the curb at his address, 303 S. Main St. The Williams vehicled was pushed approximately 21 feet.

Damage to the Williams car was estimated at $600, and damage to the Payne vehicle amounted to $500.

Rochelle Police investigated the accident and charged Payne with operating a car with a steamed windshield, reducing his visibility.

Conviction is upheld

OREGON — A Second District Appellate Court decision, released Friday, upheld the conviction of Jimmy L. Kelley, 30, convicted of the June 29, 1970 murder of a 12 year-old Byron girl. Kelly is serving a sentence of 100 to 150 years in the Illinois State Penitentiary.

Kelly was convicted on the charge in April, 1971 in Ogle County Circuit Court, after luring Cindy Lou Anderson from a coin laundry and then drowning her in the Rock River when she asked to return to the laundry.

Ticketed after car mishap

Traffic charges of improper lane usage were placed against Ellen L. Swanson, Friday, after the car she was driving hit a parked auto. The Swanson woman was motoring west on Third Street, according to police, when she veered to the right for oncoming traffic and struck a parked car owned by John W. Fritsch, 907 W. Third.

Poloan taken to Ogle jail

POLO — Ivan W. Fossett, 52, was arrested by Polo Police Friday. The Polo man accused of theft, was transported to Ogle County jail, Oregon, where he was being held in jail pending a Monday court appearance. Details of the charge were not available.

About Town

KSB Hospital

Admitted: Miss Dixie Ann Malston, Miss Cheryl Fridley, Albert Fryman, Albert Cecchetti, Mrs. Linda Bock, Jesse Sarver, Dixon; Master David Ackert, Harmon; Mrs. Elizabeth Smith, Amboy; Louis Meyer, Franklin Grove; Miss Melissa Daniels, Pekin.

Discharged: Miss Linda Carrington, Mrs. Doris Caudle, Kenneth Royster, Mrs. Nellie Van Meter, Mrs. Agnes Malach, Mrs. Doris Sharkey, Mrs. Donna Beran, Mrs. Prudence Yordy, Harry Tate, Jess Wirth, Miss Melody McGraham, Mrs. Hazel Branch, Dixon; Master Billy Lively, Rochelle; Master Timothy Smith, Mt. Morris; George Heather, Oregon; Mrs. Evelyn Christman, Amboy; Jesse Fry, Polo; Master David Ackert, Harmon.

5-Day Forecast

Partly cloudy skies Monday through Wednesday. Temperatures will average near seasonal normals for the period. Daily highs will be mostly in the 30s to lower 40s north and in the 40s south and daily lows will be mostly in the 20s north and 30s south.

Local Forecast

Mostly cloudy today with little temperature change. High 36 to 42.

Mostly cloudy tonight. Low in the mid 20s. Sunday partly cloudy. High 36 to 42.

Weather

DIXON TEMPERATURES

High Friday, 43; low today, 26; 10:30 a.m., 36.

Arrested in tavern fight

A fight at the 621 Club Friday night resulted in the arrest of James O. Toms, 24. Police were called to the club, located at 621 Depot Ave., to find Toms fighting with bartender Frank Wetsel. Toms, 510 S. Dixon Ave., was taken to the Law Enforcement Center on a disorderly conduct charge. He was released on bond.

Left turn leads to collision

A motorist turning left in front of another auto was blamed for a two-car collision Friday. Willard D. Cole, 59, Ashton, was ticketed for failure to yield after turning from McKenney Street onto Ottawa Avenue in the path of a car driven by JoAnne Whitcombe, 27, 309 W. Prospect St. No injuries were reported.

Breakfast meeting

The Men's Breakfast Club of Grace United Methodist Church will meet at 7 a.m. Tuesday in the church fellowship hall.

To offer scholarship

The Mental Health Association of Ogle County is offering, to interested and qualified students, a scholarship up to the amount of $1,000 for the mental health program of study in a qualified program over a broad range of special education, mental health and behavioral science curricula.

"Their great need for study and qualified workers in all facets of the mental health field is one of the most urgent and complex problems in today's world," observed Robert Boger, scholarship chairman for the association.

"Our association feels that any young person with the interest and necessary capabilities should be encouraged to further experience in this study and for this reason the scholarship is made available to Ogle County applicants," he explained.

Boger said interested students should mail a letter of application to him at Byron 61010.

Autos collide

Two autos collided on Chicago Avenue, at the intersection of Ill. 38 and 52, Friday. Autos involved were driven by Sunday L. Bollman, 29, Chicago, and Catherine L. Roop, 24, Rt. 4.

According to police, Miss Bollman was driving west on 52 and after stopping for traffic on 38, pulled into the path of the Roop car which was turning left onto Ill. 38.

Miss Bollman was charged with failure to yield.

Truck fire extinguished

COMPTON— A panel truck owned by the Wayside Furniture Company, Rochelle, and driven by Lee Stocking, Rochelle, caught fire at 11:30 p.m. Friday four miles north of Compton on Rt. 51.

The Compton Volunteer Fire Department was called to the scene to extinguish the fire, and damage to the truck motor, where the fire was confined, was estimated at between $500 and $600. No injuries were reported.

Lunch menu for Dixon schools

Dixon school lunch menu for Feb. 26 to March 2.

MONDAY— Tenderloins (high), spiced luncheon loaf sandwich (grade), tomato soup (grade), french fries (high), pickles, fruit.

TUESDAY— Grilled ham and cheese sandwich, buttered green beans, relish trays (high), carrot sticks and pickles (grade), white cake with chocolate topping.

WEDNESDAY— Pizza squares (grade), buttered corn, fishburgers (high), hash browns (high), rice, fruit (high).

THURSDAY— Chicken and noodles, mashed potatoes, carrot and pineapple salad tea rolls, pumpkin pie with topping.

FRIDAY— Hamburgers, french fries (high), potato salad (grade), sliced onions (high), sliced cheese, sliced dills, fruit with banana.

Ebbeson plan similar to one by Sen. Harris

Joseph Ebbeson, R-DeKalb, today noted Senate President William Harris, R-Pontiac, has taken about the same position of his motion which he made during debate on Tuesday on the state providing relief to the state's mass transit systems.

Ebbeson's amendment, which stipulated a loan be given to the Chicago Transit Authority, picked up 20 votes but lost.

On Thursday Harris said, "I hope we can negotiate a loan with Chicago banks who have an important economic and social interest in keeping the CTA going."

Ebbeson recalled Gov. Daniel Walker may veto any bill which comes out of the legislature which does not provide the funds come from Motor Fuel Tax funds.

The freshman legislator pointed out there are really no motor fuel tax funds available since the amounts posted there are distributed to local agencies.

Car collides with herd

A rural Sterling couple received minor injuries when their car collided with a cow on Prairieville Road. Charles E. Mason, 52, and his wife, Margaret L., 51, were not hospitalized in the accident near Mound Hill Road Friday night.

Mason told state police he was driving west when a herd of cattle crossed the road in front of him. Damage to Mason's car was set at $2,000.

The cattle were owned by John Fassler, rural Dixon.

Maximum fine set

OREGON — The maximum fine and sentence was ordered for an Oregon youth, convicted of illegal possession of liquor. Tony D. Paul, 20, was fined $500 and ordered to spend 30 days in Ogle County jail, by Associate Judge Alan Cargerman. Paul was arrested on the charge Thursday night by Mt. Morris Police. He pleaded guilty during a hearing Friday.

Deaths, Funerals

Orlando Thorsen

LEE— Orlando Thorsen, 73, Reynolds Road, died Friday morning in his home.

He was born Oct. 21, 1899 in rural Lee, the son of Charles and Hannah Brown Thorsen, and he married the former Gladys Peterson, Lee.

A retired farmer, Thorsen is survived by his widow; a son, Charles, Lee; a daughter, Mrs. Eugene (Kathleen) Lutz, Steward; five grandchildren; a sister, Mrs. Clara Rasmussen, Minneapolis, Minn.; and a brother, Mervin Thorsen, Largo, Fla.

Funeral services are planned for 2 p.m. Monday in Calvary Lutheran Church, rural Lee, with the Rev. Donald Myhres, pastor of the church, officiating. Burial will be in Union Cemetery by the church.

Visitation will be from 2 to 4 p.m. and 7 to 9 p.m. Sunday in the Thorsen Funeral Home, Shabbona, and a memorial has been established.

Lawrence (Jerry) Gorman

Lawrence (Jerry) Gorman, 67, 706 E. Chamberlin St., died in his home Friday afternoon, following a long illness.

He was born June 14, 1905 in Sidney, the son of Jeremiah and Mary Fitzgerald Gorman.

He had been a Dixon resident more than 49 years, and was employed as a switchboard operator at Dixon State School. He was a member of St. Anne's Catholic Church and was a third-degree member of the Dixon Knights of Columbus, No. 690.

On Nov. 13, 1942, he married the former Gladys Head in Dixon.

He was preceded in death by a daughter, 10 sisters and two brothers, and survivors include his widow; a sister, Sister Mary Martin, Chicago; two brothers, James of Sidney and Martin, Warren, Mich.

Funeral services will be held at 10 a.m. Monday in the Jones Funeral Home, and at 10:30 a.m. in St. Anne's Catholic Church with the Rev. Myles Callahan, pastor of the church, officiating. Burial will be in Oakwood Cemetery.

Visitation is planned for after 7 p.m. today in Jones Funeral Home.

Amboy youth is charged

State Police arrested 19-year-old Daniel J. Boyle Friday. The Amboy youth was brought to the Law Enforcement Center and booked on charges of fleeing police, reckless driving and possession of liquor as a minor. Details of the arrest were not available.

Ogle Co. licenses to wed

OREGON— Ogle County Clerk Helvie Wooding has issued the following marriage licenses:

Feb. 16— James Stone and Jovita Blackwell, both of Rochelle.

Feb. 20— James Matthews and Madeline Holt, both of Rochelle; James W. Sweat, La Follette, Tenn., and Anita Moore, Oregon; David A. Kobler, Loves Park, and Linda Lou Marquez, Oregon; Paul Hayenga, Mt. Morris, and Linda Pederson, Oregon.

Feb. 21— Windon Lang Colcord and Carolyn J. Bender, both of Rockford; Phillip Mark Sofolo, Rochelle, and Bobby Jean Wilder, Chana.

Feb. 22— David F. Merdian and Jean M. Clothier, both of Polo; Steven B. Long, Warren, and Shirley M. Stietz, Freeport.

Feb. 23— Robert Meier and Janice Wade, both of Compton.

Seek permit for footbridge

Murl Rhodenbaugh, Rt. 2, Oregon, has applied to the Division of Water Resource Management for a permit to construct a footbridge across a minor channel in the Rock River at Grand Detour.

Persons favoring or opposing the proposals construction may write John C. Gillou, chief waterway engineer, 201 W. Monroe, Ave., Springfield, before Feb. 28.

Area Hospitals

ROCHELLE COMMUNITY

Admitted: Feb. 23— Elmer Greenfield, Franklin Grove; Miss Kathryn Kennedy, Mrs. Mildred Grimm, Baby Don Childers Jr., Frederic Whitney, Stanley Dettman, Mrs. Ben Banton, Mrs. Manuel Montanez Jr., Miss Carol Wheeler, Rochelle.

Discharged: Mrs. Terry Flanigan and baby daughter, Creston; Master John Robertson, Mrs. James Russell, Miss Connie Ludwig, Rodney Hendricks, Rochelle.

May make zoning decision

OREGON — The Zoning Board of Appeals may make a recommendation to the County Board regarding zoning for the proposed Commonwealth Edison nuclear plant near Byron. The board will discuss the proposed zoning change from agricultural to heavy industrial when it meets Wednesday at 7:30 p.m.

The zoning change met with protest during a recent meeting where 16 of 200 persons attending argued their point on environlmental and safety grounds.

The board recommendation will require County Board approval.

Guilty plea in check incident

OREGON — Twenty-nine year-old Carol S. Fuller pleaded guilty to deceptive practice Friday during a hearing before Judge William B. Phillips. The Rockford woman was arrested Thursday in Whiteside County after serving a 15-day jail sentence there. Judge Phillips fined the woman $50 and ordered restitution be made for a bogus check she cashed.

Must spend five weekends in jail

Restitution and five weekends in Lee County Jail were ordered for Daniel C. McKenzie, 25, Oregon. McKenzie was found guilty Friday of criminal damage to property owned by Diana Schaefer. The charge stemmed from a Feb. 13 incident. A second charge of theft was dismissed by the courts.

Youth held in Ogle jail

OREGON — Forreston Police arrested Mark Moring, 18, early today on a charge of possession of liquor as a minor. The Forreston youth was transported to Ogle County Jail where he was being held pending a Monday court appearance.

Illinois town plans welcome for POW

ROODHOUSE, Ill. (AP) — They're going to stage a parade and throw a banquet when Air Force Maj. Philip E. Smith comes home this spring, but only if Smith, the first American pilot captured by the Chinese in the Vietnam War, wants all the fanfare.

"Of course we want to do everything we can, but the entire celebration will be scaled to his desires and what kind of physical shape he's in," Frank Hopkins, a member of the homecoming planning group, said Friday.

"I've known him all his life. He's humble young man, but I know he'll appreciate what the community wants to do."

The release of Smith, 38, and Navy Lt. Cmdr. Robert J. Flynn of Salt Lake City, was announced Thursday by presidential advisor Henry Kissinger.

Roodhouse, a farming community of 2,400 in west central Illinois, has not forgotten Smith, who graduated from Roodhouse High School and whose 78-year-old mother still lives on the family's 200-acre farm on its outskirts.

On Feb. 14, the Rotary Club dedicated an oak tree planted in the town square. Inscribed on a plaque affixed to the tree are Smith's name and the date he was shot down when his plane strayed over Hainana Island—Sept. 20, 1965.

During those 7½ years of captivity Smith has been allowed to correspond once a month with his family and reportedly receives one letter a month from them.

"We assume he's in good physical condition from his letters," Smith's brother, Joe, said Friday. "An air Force man I was talking with recently said they'll probably send him to Scott (Air Force base near Belleville) just after he's released. But they'll take him anywhere he wants to go."

Smith said the tentative release date is still March 27.

Maj. Smith's wife, Judy, and the couple's three children, including a 7-year-old son he has never seen, reportedly are living in the South.

Smith's father, Oscar, died in 1967 and his only sister died two weeks ago, about the time Mrs. Smith learned of her son's release.

Despite some uncertainty that Maj. Smith will want a hero's welcome, plans are being made for Maj. Philip E. Smith Day, during which the town's Vietnam veterans and three war dead also will be honored.

"A lot of people who knew Philip have moved away," Hopkins said, "but we're sure that when they read about the homecoming they'll want to do something.

"One lady in Chicago already sent us $50 for a gift.

"We may have to scale down our plans, or cancel them completely, as he wishes. But we're a small town, and this really means a lot to us."

Five starters in double figures

Rockets crush Dukes 97-55

By MIKE CUNNIFF
Telegraph Sports Editor

ROCK FALLS— The Rock Falls Rockets extended their current winning string to 13 here, Friday night, as they romped to a 97-55 NCIC Conference victory over Dixon. The Dukes fought back from a 12-2 deficit to take a 22-18 lead at the end of the first quarter, but the Rockets more than doubled Dixon's points during the remainder of the contest for the easy win.

Pat McCarty and Gerald Steagall accounted for the first dozen Rocket markers. MacCarty connected for three baskets from underneath and added a pair of free throws, while Steagall hit a layup and an offensive rebound. The only Duke score in the meantime was a two-pointer by Bill Seeger on a 15-foot bank shot from the right of the hoop.

Pair of Baskets

Dave Moody and Don Heeg cut the Rock Falls lead to 12-6 with the quarter half finished. McCarty added another pair of charity tosses before a trio of two-pointers by Dixon sliced the advantage to a pair. Randy Paisley netted the first basket on a drive through the lane and Chris Lendman added an offensive rebound, after his primary attempt was partially blocked.

Heeg then hit Moody with a pass underneath and the sophomore forward laid in the easy shot. After Ed Megli swished a shot from the key, the Dukes ran off nine unanswered points. Paisley netted a jumper, Heeg sank a pair of free throws and Lendman converted a three-point play before Tom Ruffin tossed in a sweeping hook shot, to give the Dukes a 21-16 advantage.

This was to be the largest lead of the night for Dixon. Loren Bollman then hit a 15-footer to offset a free throw by Lendman, to give the Dukes a four-point advantage after the primary eight minutes.

Another Layup

McCarty wiggled free underneath for another layup, to open the second quarter, before Seeger made both shots of a one-and-one with 7:48 left. The Dukes then were held scoreless for nearly three minutes while the green-and-black clad Rockets scored five baskets.

Bollman started the explosion with a 20-foot jump shot while an offensive rebound two-pointer by Megli knotted the game at 24-24. McCarty followed with a jumper from the right and then set a screen that enable Megli to shed his defender long enough to arch in another field goal.

Steagall Scores

Steagall made it 30-24 with a rebound basket in the offensive zone before Heeg pumped in a two-pointer, with 5:12 remaining. Sam Harris netted a layup for Rock Falls via an out-of-bounds play and McCarty grabbed a missed teammate's shot and scored to neutralize a pair of offensive rebound buckets by Heeg.

Five different Rockets then pumped in baskets before the end of the half, with Steagall sinking a pair while Heeg continued his one-man offensive show for Dixon with another bucket. The 6-4 pivotman accounted for eight of the 10 Duke markers in the frame.

Rock Falls outscored Dixon 27-11 in the third period, including 15-2 at one stretch. Harris tossed in four baskets and added a solitary free throw for nine of the markers. McCarty chipped in with a half dozen before he exited, with 3:25 remaining, because of four fouls.

Fouls Out

Heeg picked up two baskets for Dixon before he fouled out, with a minute remaining in the quarter. Moody had departed earlier because of five personals. The Rockets doubled the Dixon total in the final eight minutes, hooping 24 markers to a dozen for the Dukes.

About the only consolation the Dukes had was the fact they held Rock Falls below the century mark. The Rockets made a run at the 100 level, reaching 95 with 1:27 left, but could score only two free throws thereafter.

Steve Harris meshed the charity tosses after his first attempt rimmed the hoop and came to rest on the collar of the rim. Reserves filtered into the game during the final period, with Bill Williams and Vern Myers netting four points apiece for Dixon and Rock Falls, respectively.

"23 Turnovers"

John Tierney, Rock Falls head coach, said in the locker room, "We had 23 turnovers in the game, which is the most we have had all year. We had 13 in the first half and 10 in the second. But our great strength is in our bench. We've got some good kids ready to play."

Tierney also had a comment on the numerous layups McCarty got, saying, "He was making a short move underneath. It was a quick move and the timing was good. He's just got too much quickness for the younger (Dixon) kids in the low post area."

The 6-3 McCarty netted 11 baskets and four free throws in the contest, to lead all scorers with 26 points. Seven of the two-pointers were layups, one was an offensive rebound and the remainder were jump shots from within 15 feet of the hoop.

Double Figures

The other four Rocket starters were also in double figures. Steagall had eight buckets and two free throws for 18, while Sam Harris had six and one for 13. The guard duo of Megli and Bollman had 15 and 12.

Rock Falls had 41 field goals in 70 attempts, for 59 per cent. McCarty had 11 two-pointers in 18 shots while Megli was 6-7, Sam Harris was 6-9 and Steagall added 8-14.

Heeg was the only Dixon player in double digits with 16. Lendman was next with nine, while Seeger added seven. Moody and Paisley chipped in with a half dozen apiece. The Dukes made 22 baskets in 60 tries for 37 per cent.

Heeg is 7-11

Heeg was 7-11 while Paisley was 3-5 and Moody added 4-10. The loss drops the Dixon NCIC record to 4-6 and the season mark to 6-15. Rock Falls now has a 9-1 conferenced ledger and 21 victories for the season against only three losses.

La Salle-Peru, with an 84-67 victory over Geneseo, raised its NCIC record to 10-0, one game ahead of Rock Falls. Mendota raced by Rochelle 90-83 to stay in third with a 7-3 ledger. Ottawa and Sterling maintained a tie for fourth as the Pirates trounced Kewanee 105-51, while Sterling nipped Princeton 79-72.

In the other conference contest, Streator edged Hall 55-54. Hall and Rochelle have finished their NCIC activity with 2-9 and 6-5 records, respectively. Princeton and Dixon now have 4-6 marks, while Geneseo is 2-8 and Kewanee inhabits the cellar with a winless 0-10 slate.

Dukelets Lose

The Rock Falls Meteors outscored the Dukelets in every quarter to post an 89-52 victory in the sophomore contest. The Meteors connected on 38 of 67 shots from the floor for 57 per cent, while the Dixon sophomore were an icy-cold 21 of 79 for 27 per cent.

Mike Marshall and Jim Edwards tossed in 11 markers each for the Dukelets, while Ed Fane and Steve Bailey chipped in with nine. Ron Fullmer hooped 25 points for the Meteors while Dave Brotheridge added 18. Tony Johnson had 15, while Tim Ohda managed 10.

Dixon (55)	Fg	Ft	F	Tp
Paisley	3	0	1	6
Seeger	2	3	3	7
Moody	4	0	5	8
Heeg	7	2	5	16
Breitzka	1	0	1	2
Lendman	3	3	3	9
Meling	0	0	1	0
Ruffin	1	0	2	2
Williams	1	2	0	4
Wadsworth	0	1	1	1
	22	11	22	55
Rock F. (97)	**Fg**	**Ft**	**F**	**Tp**
Megli	6	3	2	15
Bollman	6	0	4	12
McCarty	11	4	4	26
Steagall	8	2	2	18
Sam Harris	6	1	3	13
Rosengren	2	2	1	6
Scott	0	1	0	1
Myers	2	0	1	4
Steve Harris	0	2	0	2
Platt	0	0	1	0
	41	15	18	97

Score by Quarters

Dixon	22	10	11	12—55
Rock Falls	18	28	27	24—97

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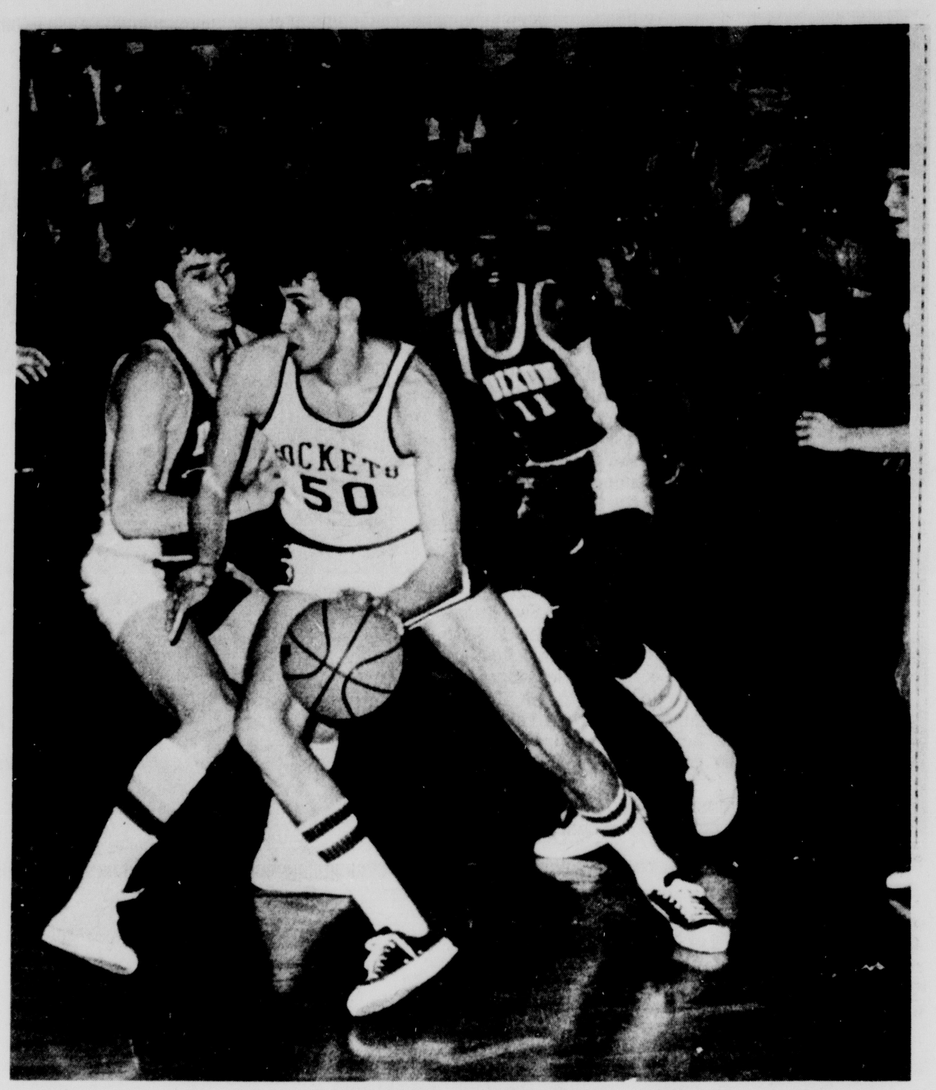
Dixon (52)	Fg	Ft	F	Tp
Vail	2	0	3	4
Marshall	5	1	3	11
Wallace	2	0	2	4
Fane	4	1	2	9
Bailey	3	3	1	9
Edwards	3	5	2	11
Mullery	1	0	1	2
Flanagan	1	0	0	2
Musser	0	0	1	0
Geise	0	0	0	0
	21	10	15	52
Rock F. (89)	**Fg**	**Ft**	**F**	**Tp**
Garman	4	0	1	8
Johnson	7	1	2	15
Brotheridge	9	0	4	18
Fullmer	10	5	4	25
Ohda	4	2	3	10
Bohms	2	3	3	7
Rucker	2	2	0	6
	38	13	17	89

Score by Quarters

Dixon	8	22	10	12—52
Rock Falls	17	25	18	29—89



McCarty on the move

Pat McCarty (50) starts to move down the left side of the base line in the Rock Falls-Dixon basketball game Friday night in Forest Tabor Gymnasium. McCarty, Rocket senior center, scored 26 points in the 97-55 win. Attempting to defend is Chris Lendman of the Dukes while Tom Ruffin (11) looks on. (Telegraph Photo)

Milledgeville grabs title share, downs Eagles 65-58

By TOM MURPHY

MILLEDGEVILLE — The Franklin Center Eagles were dropped from the Northwest Seven Conference championship race here Friday night as the Milledgeville Missiles handed them a 65-58 defeat.

With 3:45 left in the game the Missiles pulled ahead by one 51-50. Lyle Nesemeier then went up for an easy lay-up putting the Missiles ahead by three.

With the score 53-51, Milledgeville took a time-out, with 2:21 remaining on the clock. Rick Applequist fouled Neismeier who went to the line and sank both of his free shots making the score 55-50.

Norm Deets went up the baseline for the bucket drawing a foul and making the extra point to put the Missiles up by six. John Roop made the basket for the Eagles as he drove through the middle.

The Eagles then took a time-out with 1:39 remaining. Dick King followed with a bucket for Franklin but in the next 30 seconds, Deets drew a foul for one point and scored a bucket to make the score 61-58 Milledgeville. The last 18 seconds consisted of Nesemeier making four points at the charity line.

In the first quarter, Franklin Center jumped to an early lead as Jeff Jahn made both free throws awarded in a foul and Ron Fell made a two-pointer from the lane.

The Eagles strong zone defense held the Missiles scoreless in the first four minutes of play. Nesemeier was the first to score for the Missiles. Nesemeier had three buckets and Bruce Dusing and Dwight Daub both added a pair to give the Missiles a two point edge (14-12) over the Eagles at the end of the period.

The second quarter, the Eagles went to a man-to-man defense while the Missiles still employed their man-to-man.

Appelquist, Fell, Roop all chipped in with two buckets each while Jeff Jahn added two baskets and a free throw to give the Eagles 17 points while each of the Missiles netted two with Nesemeier having four to give the Missiles a dozen. The Eagles took a 29-26 advantage into the dressing room at half.

The lead was short lived as the Missiles came back with Deets scoring 12 points in the third period, to overtake the Eagles. The lead switched hands eight times in the period before Milledgeville managed a 44-42 advantage going in the final quarter.

The fourth period Nesemeier scored 11 points, seven of which were free throws. Fouls hurt the Eagles as the Missiles took 14 shots at the line and made nine, while the Eagles took one and missed. Jeff Jahn scored six points for the Eagles but Nesemeier scored the 11 big ones that won the game.

Nesemeier, a senior center, scored eight baskets and seven free throws to total 23 markers for the Missiles. Deets added 18 while Daub sank 13.

The high scorer for the Eagles was Jeff Jahn, a 5-4 freshman who exhibited great ball control as he scored 19 points.

Jim Modglin, Milledgeville coach stated, "We gave up a lot of height with our largest man not over 6'2". We also had two sophomores playing that helped quite a bit."

"This is the first conference championship Milledgeville has had in a long time, we checked back 15 years and we hadn't had one," he continued.

Dennis Kessel, Franklin head coach stated, "We weren't able to get the ball inside to our big men, Appelquist and Fell. This really hurt us being shut-off underneath. Jeff Jahn was able to get in once in a while but did most of his shooting from the outside. This game hurt us emotionally as we play Amboy tomorrow night."

The win enables Milledgeville to tie for the Northwest Seven championship with Ashton, who crushed Leaf River 61-32 Friday night. Both clubs ended with 8-2 marks. Franklin Center finished a game behind with a 7-3 record.

Milledgeville is now 14-8 overall while Franklin Center is 12-11. The Eagles travel to Amboy tonight to tangle with the Clippers.

F. Center (58)	Fg	Ft	F	Tp
J. Jahn	2	4	3	8
Appelquist	3	1	4	7
Fell	5	0	1	10
Roop	6	0	1	12
Jeff Jahn	8	3	3	19
King	0	0	1	0
Simpson	1	0	1	2
	25	8	14	58
M'ville (65)	**Fg**	**Ft**	**F**	**Tp**
Dusing	4	1	1	9
Nesemeier	8	7	0	23
Briggs	0	0	1	0
Deets	8	2	3	18
Baughman	1	0	1	2
Daub	6	1	4	13
	27	11	10	65

Score by Quarters

F. Center	12	17	13	16—58
M'ville	14	12	18	21—65

Walnut wins

WALNUT — Despite a foul-filled 37 point last quarter for Wyoming, the Walnut Blue Raiders downed the Indians 91-88 here Friday night in a Blackhawk Conference game.

The Raiders led by a large margin the first half outscoring Wyoming 47-30. They almost completely shut down the Indian scoring with an effective man-to-man and a driving offense. Keith Rabe, Walnut high scorer, sank 18 of his 20 points the first half, while Al Lickhart, got 15 of his 19.

The second half the Indians went from a zone to a very aggressive man-to-man and started to cut their deficit. The game started to get rough as both teams got in foul trouble. Walnut had difficulty in bringing the ball down court before being fouled. Unfortunately, the Raiders showed that they couldn't hit free throws. The Walnut team became disorganized, shooting 36 per cent the final period compared to 64 per cent by Wyoming.

Ron Brokaw kept Walnut in the game the last quarter hitting 9 of 10 from the charity stripe.

At the two minute mark the Indians came within one of Walnut, 89-88, but two free throws by Doug Dahl put Walnut ahead by three where they remained the rest of the game.

From the floor the Raiders were outgunned by Wyoming. Walnut hit only 32 of 71 for 45 per cent while Wyoming hit 35 of 71 for 49 per cent. Free throw wise the teams came out even with 56 per cent. Walnut with 27 of 48, and Wyoming with 18 of 32.

The Blue Raiders now hold a 5-8 conference record and a 9-15 overall while the Indians are 4-9 in the conference and 9-12 overall.

Walnut will battle the Ohio Bulldogs Monday night at the Amboy regional.

Wyoming (88)	Fg	Ft	F	Tp
Kitterman	7	7	5	21
Unhold	8	5	4	21
Mercer	4	0	4	8
Streitmatter	1	1	5	3
Glen	6	4	1	16
Tuttle	4	1	5	9
Griggs	2	0	5	4
Orwig	3	0	5	6
	35	18	34	88
Walnut (91)	**Fg**	**Ft**	**F**	**Tp**
Dahl	2	3	2	7
Peterson	2	7	5	11
Lickhart	8	3	4	19
Von Holten	6	0	5	12
Brokaw	4	10	3	18
Rabe	8	4	4	20
Kiser	2	0	3	4
	32	27	26	91

Score by Quarters

Wyoming	15	15	21	37—88
Walnut	17	30	19	25—91

Frosh-Soph Game: Walnut 41, Wyoming 60.

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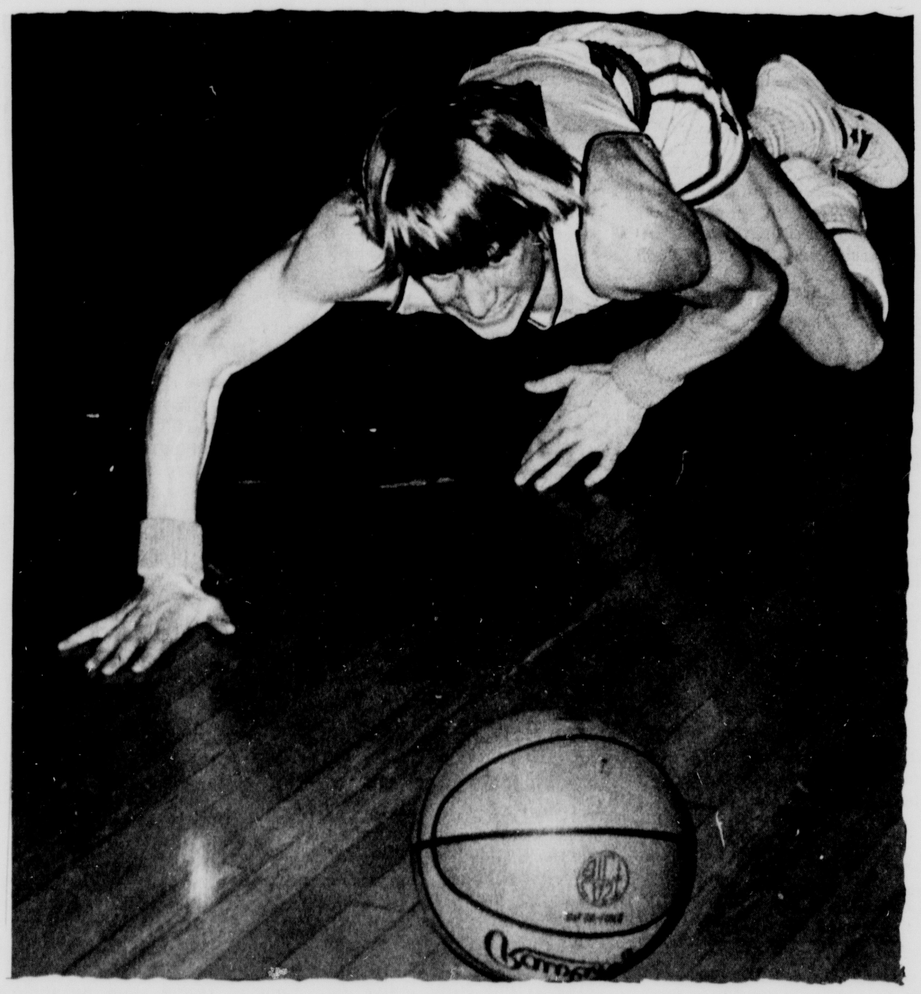
East	W	L	Pct.	G.B.
Carolina	48	19	.716	—
Kentucky	43	23	.652	4½
Virginia	32	32	.500	14½
New York	24	42	.364	23½
Memphis	21	45	.318	26½
West				
Utah	42	24	.636	—
Indiana	38	28	.576	4
Denver	35	30	.538	6½
Dallas	23	39	.371	17
San Diego	20	44	.313	21

Yesterday's Results

Carolina 107, New York 93
Denver 129, Memphis 103
Only games scheduled



Stalking the ball

Jeff Baughman of Milledgeville shows one of the best methods of sneaking up on an elusive basketball during the Franklin Center-Milledgeville game Friday night. The Missiles downed the Eagles 65-58 to tie with Ashton for the Northwest Seven championship. (Telegraph Photo)

Ohio takes 2nd in Little Eight

OHIO— The Ohio Bulldogs clinched second place in the Little Eight Conference here Friday, downing Tiskilwa 71-46. The Bulldogs finish the conference season with a 4-3 record.

The Tiskilwa loss, and defeats incurred by Tampico and Wyanet, give the Bulldogs undisputed possession of second place after the four teams began the night tied for the runner-up spot. Terry Lehn paced the way for the victory with 22 points, while Jim Brandau added 17 in his first varsity start.

Pete Kerr and Bill Dale chipped in with 10 each. Kerr, a 6-4 center, pulled down 16 rebounds while Brandau had 13 and Bill Dale collected a dozen. The Bulldogs shot 51 per cent from the floor, making 30 two-pointers in 59 attempts.

Ohio outscored the visitors in every quarter, including 20 points in each of the periods in the second half. John Friel tossed in 12 markers for Tiskilwa while Ted Kaufman added 11.

The victory moves the Ohio season record to 10-12, with its next game Monday night versus Walnut in the Amboy Regional. The Bulldogs have won eight of their last 12 ball games.

Tiskilwa (46)	Fg	Ft	F	Tp
J. Friel	6	0	3	12
Hale	3	0	4	6
Kaufman	5	1	5	11
Thompson	1	1	3	3
Davis	3	0	1	6
S. Friel	3	0	2	6
D. Friel	1	0	2	4
	22	2	21	46
Ohio (71)	**Fg**	**Ft**	**F**	**Tp**
Kuebel	4	0	3	8
Lehn	9	4	2	22
Kerr	3	4	3	10
Dunn	2	0	1	2
B. Dale	4	2	3	10
Brandau	8	1	2	17
Sibigtroth	0	0	0	0
	30	11	14	71

Score by Quarters

Tiskilwa	12	11	15	8—46
Ohio	18	12	20	20—71

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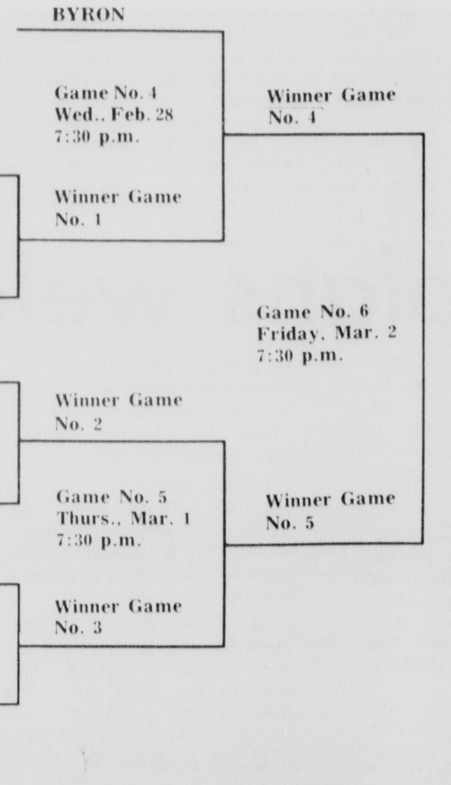

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Moline 37, Davenport Cent. 35
Orion 76, AlWood 65
Knoxville 72, Aledo 56
Alexis 82, Abingdon 74
LaSalle-Peru 84, Geneseo 67
Forest View 81, Schaumburg 49
Barrington 70, Dundee 54
Glenbrook S. 51, Maine East 45
Waukegan 56, Evanston 53
Lake Pk. 79, Glenbard S. 67
Chicago Christian 56, Luther S. 51
Palatine 82, Rolling Meadows 55
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Aurora West 54, Elgin Larkin 35
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Westview 65, Manteno 35
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Tri-Point 67, Odell 56
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Rossville 56, Cissna Park 53
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Olympia 66, Clinton 58
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Jamica 87, Rankin 47
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Oakland 76, ABL 59
Tri-Opia 26, Pleasant Hill 12
Quincy 81, Rock Island 52

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OAKLAND (AP) — The Oakland Raiders will face the Minnesota Vikings for the first time when the National Football League teams meet in a preseason game at the University of California in Berkeley Aug. 25, the Raiders announced Friday.

NEW ORLEANS (AP) — The New Orleans Saints announced Friday they have signed their 12th round draft choice—Paul Orndorff, a 6-foot-1, 210-pound running back from Tampa, Fla., who will probably be shifted to tight end with the National Football League club.

The Saints also signed as free agents Jerry Davis, a 6-0, 185-pound defensive back from Morris Brown and Eric Hyman, a 6-4, 246-pound defensive lineman from North Carolina.

LOS ANGELES (AP) —Second baseman Lee Lacy signed his 1973 Los Angeles Dodger contract Friday, leaving six Dodgers still unsigned—pitchers Claude Osteen, Don Sutton, Tommy John; infielders Bill Buckner and Steve Garvey, and outfielder Willie Crawford.

Lacy batted .259 last year in his rookie season with the Dodgers.

GOLF

FORT LAUDERDALE, Fla. — Tour sophmore Forrest Fezler carded a three-under-par 69 and established a two-stroke lead in the second round of the $260,000 Jackie Gleason Classic.

HOLLYWOOD, Fla. — Jim Ferriell, Louisville, Ky., shot a five-under -par 67 for a six-stroke victory in the satellite Emerald Hills Open Golf Tournament.

TENNIS

COLOGNE, Germany — Jan Kodes, Czechoslovakia, beat top-seeded Marty Riessen, Evanston, Ill. 6-1, 7-5 and moved into the semifinals in the Cologne World Championship Tennis Tournament.

SALISBURY, Md. — Brian Gottfried, Fort Lauderdale, Fla., scored a 6-2, 6-1 upset over Illie Nastase, Romania, in the U.S. National Indoor Open Tennis Championships as Nastase deliberately lost points, failed to chase volleys and hit balls at linesman. Nastase was fined $500 and reprimanded by the Independent Players Association.

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NEW YORK — Veteran Tracy Smith shattered the world indoor three-mile record and shotputter George Woods broke a world indoor mark at the National AAU Track and Field championships.

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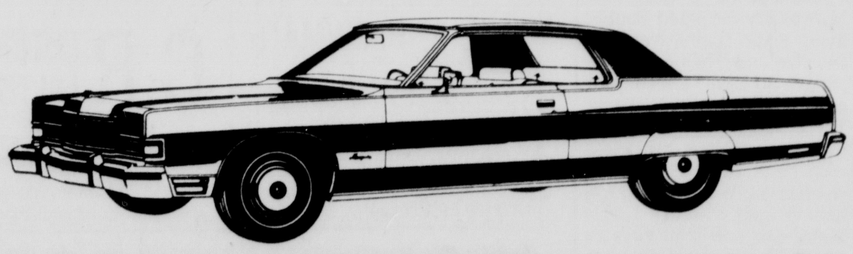

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12:00 noon Lunch on Grounds

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TERMS: The Stillman Valley National Bank will clerk and finance this sale. $100.00 and under, cash. Over that amount, arrange with clerk for repayment plan suitable for you.

GARY LICHTY, Owner

Auctioneers: Doug Boomgarden, Don Maronde
The Stillman Valley National Bank, Clerk

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TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 27
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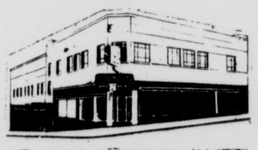

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Mounders win

BYRON — Scoring 19 points, Bob Hansen led the Mt. Morris Mounders to 57-48 victory over Byron here Friday night.

Trailing 16-14 the first quarter, the Mounders outscored Byron by seven in the second to take the lead 27-22 at the half. They kept ahead of the ensuing Byron team and won a championship as a result.

The top scorers for Mt. Morris were Hansen and Rory Rosenbalm, who had 14. Steve Lucas was the only Byron player in double figures with 13.

Scoring wise the Mounders drastically outgunned Byron. Mt. Morris hit 25 of 54 field goal attempts for 46 per cent and Byron sank 18 of 60 for 30 per cent.

Mt. Morris stands in first in the Mid-Northern with an 11-3 conference tab and an 18-5 overall. Byron falls into second place with 8-6 and 13-9.

Mt. Morris (57)	Fg	Ft	F	Tp
Shank	3	0	4	6
Hanson	8	3	0	19
Pease	4	2	3	10
Messer	0	0	1	0
Rosenbalm	7	0	2	14
Macklin	0	1	1	1
Blanchard	3	0	2	6
Floski	0	1	0	1
Bowken	0	0	1	0
	25	7	14	57

Byron (48)	Fg	Ft	F	Tp
Hende	1	3	2	5
Parks	3	1	2	7
S. Lucas	5	3	4	13
Toops	3	3	0	9
Hogan	3	2	3	8
Weber	1	0	2	2
Blackburn	2	0	1	4
	18	12	14	48

Score by Quarters

Mt. Morris	14	13	12	18—57
Byron	16	6	9	17—48

Frosh-Soph Game: Mt. Morris 67, Byron 48.

Marcos down Stillman Valley

STILLMAN VALLEY — Steve Howard meshed 20 points to lead the Polo Marcos to a 59-54 Mid-Northern Conference victory over Stillman Valley, here, Friday.

Howard gunned seven baskets and six free throws for his 20. Gale Brattrud and Dan Lockner backed Howard with 10 points apiece. The Marcos were down by four markers going into the final quarter before they outscored the hosts 20-11 for the win.

The victory was Polo's eighth in conference action against six losses. The Marcos' next game will be in the Oregon Regional when the play Leaf River at 7:30 p.m. Tuesday.

Polo (59)	Fg	Ft	F	Tp
G. Brattrud	5	0	4	10
M. Brattrud	4	0	4	8
Howard	7	6	4	20
Jenkins	3	0	3	6
Lockner	3	4	2	10
Mount	0	0	1	0
Tegeler	1	3	0	5
	23	13	18	59

S. Valley (54)	Fg	Ft	F	Tp
Fritz	9	0	5	18
Reeverts	4	0	0	8
Snell	4	1	3	9
Holder	3	2	3	8
Johnson	2	5	4	9
Rust	1	0	1	2
Littlewood	0	0	1	0
Mincemoyer	0	0	1	0
	23	8	18	54

Score by Quarters

Polo	10	15	14	20—59
S. Valley	14	12	17	11—54

Prep cage results

Industry 69, Valley 68
Roseville 60, Avon 36
Balyki 65, Astoria 52
Ottawa 108, Kewanee 51
Rock Falls 97, Dixon 55
Sterling 79, Princeton 72
Streator 55, Hall 54
Hartsburg 55, Delavan 51
Forman 65, New Holland 50
Green Vlley 64, San Jose 58
Streator Woodland 68, Bethalto 66
Deer Creek 60, Lexington 58
ROVA 59, Galv 57
Alexis 82, Abington 76
Ohio 71, Tiskilwa 46
Depue 71, Wyanet 61
Annawan 66, Tampico 64
LaMoille 76, Neponset 64
Northwestern 74, Macomb Western 68
Carthage 74, Hamilton 55
Pekin 78, East Peoria 57
Peori-Bergan 81, Spalding 73
Limestone 58, Woodruff 54
Peoria Central 56, Manual 39
Pontiac 66, Normal U. 54
Washington 65, Morton 57
Chillicothe IVC 73, Metamora 72
Olympis 66, Clinton 58
Eureka 73, Monmouth 71
Mt. Pulaski 74, Tremont 63
Weathersfield 69, Manlius 49
Bradford 91, Princeville 73
Elmwood 61, Toulon 52
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Stockton 110, Elizabeth 62
Warren 94, Thomson 92
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Batavia 68, Geneva 66
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Naperville 75, Wheaton Central 51
Mount Carmel 72, Hales Fanciscan 68, ot
Crab Orchrd 83, Elverado 80
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Marissa 82, St. Henry 76
DuQuoin 74, Sparta 70
Cairo 79, Johnston City 68
Mt. Vernon 73, Harrisburg 65
Brookport 74, Ulin Century 51
Benton 45, Carbondale 21
Centralia 64, West Frankfort 59
Eldorado 62, Meridian 60
Olney 86, Fairfield 53
Salem 61, Carmi 59
Bridgeport 76, Mt. Carmel 57
Christopher 68, Zeigler Royalton 65
Paducah Pilphman, Ky. 88, Metropolis 68
Proviso East 59, Oak Pk 57
Maine West 61, Deerfield 43
Little Flower 58, Walther Luth. 52
Lake Zurich 55, Grayslake 51
St. Charles 88, De Kalb 84
Woodstock 69, Libertyville 65, ot
Willowbrook 25, Addison Trail 22
Jacksonville 83, Griffin 75
Normal Comm. 77, Southeast 67
Bloomington 95, Springfield 85
Lincoln 93, Stephen Decatur 49
Williamsville 61, Athens 58
Chath. Glenwood 60, Pleasant Plain 51
Ashland 49, Jacksonville ISD 29
Edinburg 55, Riverton 54
Raymond-Lin'wood 91, N. Berlin 54
Rochester 88, Kincaid 69
Petersburg 88, Auburn 74
Girard 73, Waverly 49
Warden 73, Greenfield 57
Concord 26, Pleasant Hill 12
Jerseyville 67, Bethalto 52
Virginia 58, Winchester 56
Mt. Olive 74, Carlinville 71
Virden 73, Gillespie 70
Whitehall 78, Hardin 58
Carrollton 71, Jack'ille Routt 65
Assumpton 77, Witt 58
Bath 65, Astoria 52
Vandalia 71, Greenville 70
Pana 75, Shelbyville 63
Hillsboro 63, Litchfield 58
Taylorville 80, Effingham 64
Rushville 62, Havana 51
Moweaqua 52, Illiopolis 45
Mt. Pulaski 74, Tremont 63
Elkhart 96, Mt. Auburn 59

Comets win

SAVANNA— Four players scored in double figures here Friday night to lead the Newman Comets to a 75-72 Illowa Conference victory over the Savanna Indians.

The Comets scored 26 points in the final quarter, to 23 for Savanna, for the win. Free throws were decisive as Mike Fecht netted six of seven, Fred Eberley was 4-4 and Tony Papoccia had 4-5 in the fourth period.

Fecht had 22 markers to lead the Comets, while Eberley and Matt Hermes had 17 each. Papoccia finished with 13.

The Comets' next contest will be against La Moille in the Amboy Regional on Tuesday night at 8. Tickets will be on sale at Newman High School on Monday for the tournament.

Savanna (72)	Fg	Ft	F	Tp
Haring	4	2	5	10
Morfey	10	0	3	22
LaShelle	8	6	4	22
Dunk	5	0	5	10
Laybourne	0	1	3	1
McCready	0	0	2	0
Garcia	0	1	0	1
Klippert	3	0	3	6
Newman (75)	Fg	Ft	F	Tp
McCue	2	0	3	4
Papoccia	5	3	4	13
Fecht	8	6	1	22
Eberley	5	7	3	17
Warkins	0	2	1	2
Hermes	7	3	5	17

Score by Quarters

Newman	21	13	15	26—75
Savanna	18	19	12	23—72

Ashton stomps Demons

ASHTON — The Ashton Aces clinched a share of the Northwest Seven conference title with a 61-32 rout over the Leaf River Demons here Friday night. Dennis Echelbarger netted 14 points in the victory while Joe Williams had a dozen.

No Leaf River player was in double figures. The Aces finish the conference with an 8-2 mark, the same as Milledgeville. The next Ashton game will be against Mt. Morris Monday night in the Oregon Regional.

Leaf R. (32)	Fg	Ft	F	Tp
Kahler	1	0	1	2
D. Kuntzelman	2	0	1	4
Mayer	1	0	1	2
Leerhoff	1	0	1	2
Bornemann	1	2	4	4
Mayberry	3	0	4	6
Mulford	0	4	3	4
Klapp	2	0	1	4
McKay	1	0	1	2
R. Kuntzelman	0	0	1	0
Smith	1	0	3	2
Long	0	0	2	0
	13	6	23	32

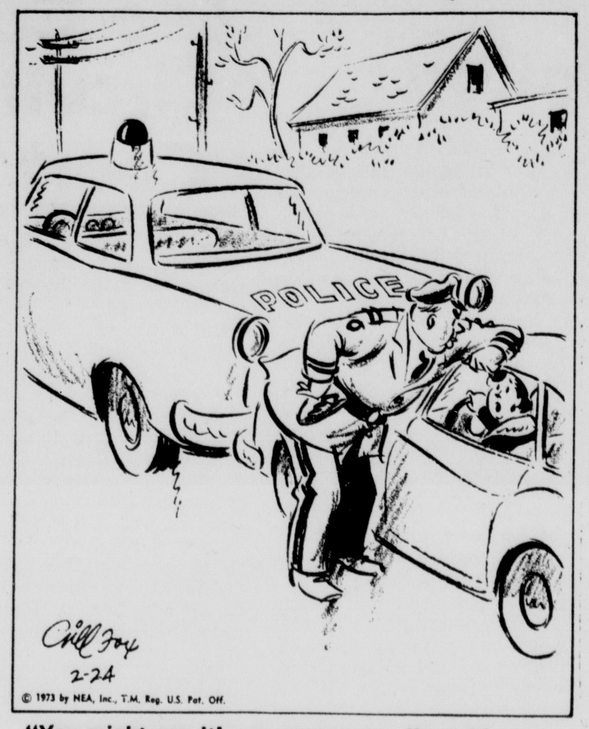
Ashton (61)	Fg	Ft	F	Tp
Shaulis	3	1	2	7
Kirchhofer	4	2	2	10
Williams	6	0	1	12
D. Echelb'ger	6	2	1	14
R. Echelb'ger	3	0	2	6
Martinez	1	0	0	2
Ennen	2	0	2	4
Butler	0	0	1	0
Halverson	1	0	0	2
Brooks	1	2	3	4
	27	7	14	61

Score by Quarters

Leaf R.	5	11	6	10—32
Ashton	15	15	10	21—61

Frosh-Soph Game: Leaf River 60, Ashton 59.

SIDE GLANCES by Gill Fox



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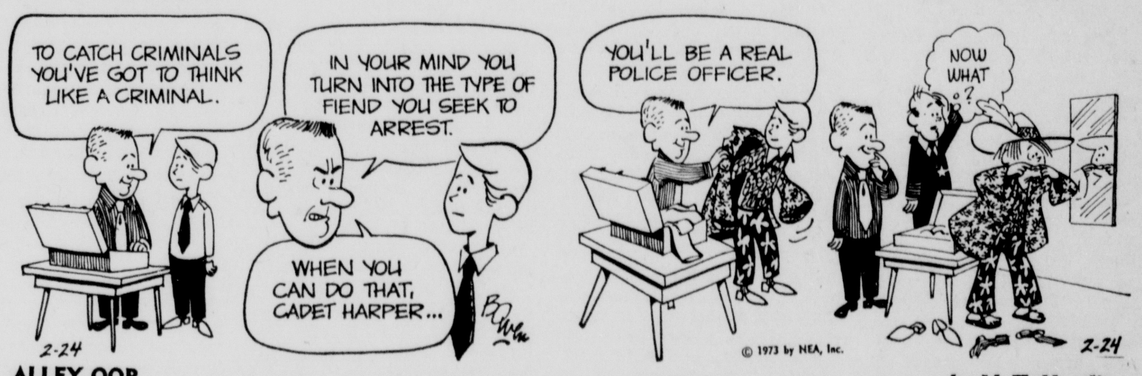

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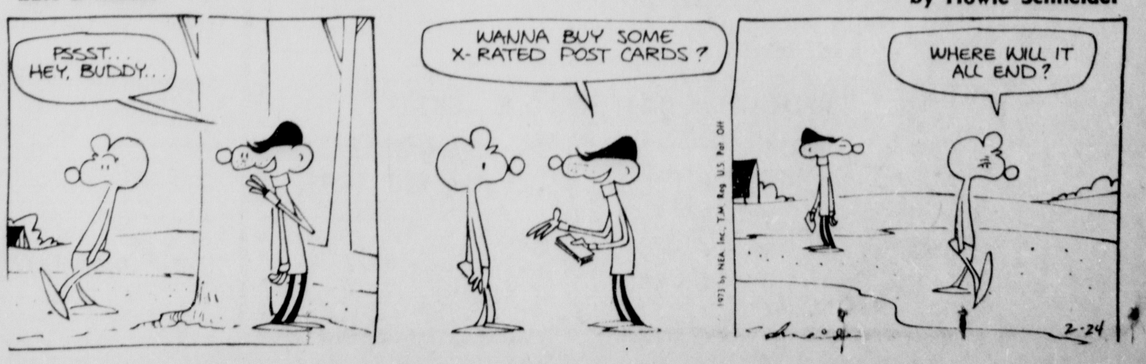

DHS classes visit nuclear power station

The world of nuclear energy and operation of Quad-Cities Nuclear Power Station were described for the Dixon Adult Farmer Class and Environmental Conservation Class who visisted the Station's new Nuclear Information Center recently, with their instructor, Albert Tieken.

The center, which consists of 12 colorful exhibits, was built to help the public gain a better understanding of nuclear energy and its application in the generation of electricity for the areas served by Iowa-Illinois Gas and Electlric Company and Commonwealth Edison Co., joint owners of the $265 million.

Located on the ground floor of the Station's Service Building, the new Center also contains an attractive 50-seat theater to present a wide range of audio-visual presentations.

Approximately, the first exhibit in the Information Center features the beginning of the Atomic Age by depicting the scene beneath the West Stands at the University of Chicago's Stagg Field, where, in the late afternoon of Dec. 2, 1942, a group of scientists headed by Enrico Fermi witnessed the first self-sustaining, controlled nuclear reaction.

Other exhibits describe the splitting of an atom, the increasing need for power in the United States and the minute quantity of radioactivity released by the station in comparison to larger amounts of naturally occurring radioactivity which the average person is exposed to in the course of everyday living.

Three other exhibits describe environmental safeguards built into Quad-Cities Station. The exhibits explain the detailed planning and engineering which has taken place to assure the safety of employees in the station and the general public and preserve the ecology of the Mississippi River.

The group also learned that extensive studies, conducted by Bio-Test Laboratories, an independent research organization, indicate that operation of the station has had no significant adverse effect on the ecology of the river, including fish and fish food sources.

After viewing all the exhibits, the Dixonites tested their knowledge of nuclear power at unique quiz machines which utilize mini-computers to ask questions about Quad-Cities Station and other aspects of nuclear energy.

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INVITATION FOR BIDS
Amboy Community Unit School District 272

Notice is hereby given that lighting lists (fluorescent tubes, bulbs, and ballasts) for the 1973-74 school year may be obtained from the business office. The lighting lists will be available to all interested parties for bidding beginning February 22nd, 1973, from Mrs. Louise Edwards, Bookkeeping Office, Amboy High School Building, Metcalf and Hawley, Amboy, Illinois, during the hours 8:30 a.m.-4:00 p.m. The last day to submit a bid proposal for lighting supplies shall be April 10th. For further information, interested parties may contact Dr. Donald Skidmore, Amboy Community Unit District Superintendent.

By Order of the School Board of said District. Dated this 20th day of February 1973.

Steven Berei
Secretary

Feb. 24, March 3, 10, 1973

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INVITATION FOR BIDS
Amboy Community Unit School District 272

Notice is hereby given that bids for school busses are now being sought for the 1973-74 school year. The school bus body and chassis specification will be available to all interested parties for bidding beginning February 22, 1973, from Mrs. Louise Edwards, Bookkeeping Office, Amboy High School Building, Metcalf and Hawley, Amboy, Illinois, during the hours 8:30 a.m. - 4:00 p.m. The last day to submit a bid proposal for school bus bodies and chassis shall be April 10, 1973. For further information interested parties may contact Dr. Donald E. Skidmore, Amboy Community Unit District Superintendent.

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Notice is hereby given that custodial supply lists for the 1973-74 school year may be obtained from the district business office. The custodial supply list will be available to all interested parties for bidding beginning February 22nd, 1973, from Mrs. Louise Edwards, Bookkeeping Office, Amboy High School Building, Metcalf and Hawley, Amboy, Illinois, during the hours 8:30 a.m.-4:00 p.m. The last day to submit a bid proposal for custodial supplies shall be April 10, 1973. For further information interested parties may contact Dr. Donald Skidmore, Amboy Community Unit District Superintendent.

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Lee Co. Circuit Court

The following dispositions were recorded by the office of Harold Huffman, clerk of circuit court:

David F. Coers, Dixon, disobyed traffic signal, $10; Gardner W. Haskell, Davenport, Iowa, speeding, $12; Charles B. Green, Kenosha, Wis., speeding, $20; Douglas B. Hammond, Danville, speeding, $14; David C. Keefer, Sterling, disobeyed no passing zone, $10; Cecil E. Monnier, Dixon, speeding, $13; Francis E. Shippert, Dixon, no valid registration, $10; Lacy D. Snedigar, Greenview, no lease on file $25; Gary L. Stouffer, Amboy, disobeyed stop sign, $10;

Brian L. Willard, Dixon, failed to signal when required, $10; Cleo S. Young, Franklin Grove, speeding, $20; Carl R. Maves, Dixon, speeding (school zone), $30 and improper lane usage, $10; Marvin L. Grimes, Franklin Grove, failure ot comply with Illinois vehicle code, $25; Troy A. Reinhart, Dixon, failed to yield, stop intersection, $10; Randall A. Webb, Dixon, speeding, $15; Bobby J. Surratt, Aurora, transportation of alcoholic liquor (broken seal), $25; Richard A. Golder, Frankfort, Ind., no reciprocity, $20; Marvin A. Schmidt, Dickinson, N.D., no valid registration, $20.

The following dispositions were recorded by the office of Harold Huffman, clerk of circuit court and represent overweight on axle violations, with bond forfeited in each case:

Donald G. Blankenship, Rockford, $36; Forrest N. Starbuck, Clinton, Iowa, $20.40; David L. Charlson, Mankato, Minn., $32.80; Allen L. Weldon, Pringdale, Ark., $38; Lester R. Brooks, Chicago, $26.40; Carl E. Bruch, Kirkland, $34.80; Dewey L. Donahue, Lowndes, Mo., $88; James E. Hoffner, Newton, Kan., $40;

Douglas M. Kennedy, Naperville, $26.80; Fred K. Spivey, Rickman, Tenn., $29.20; Ivan C. Sweatt, Dexter, Minn., $34.40; Richard V. Hull, Clinton, Iowa, $80.80; William F. Hull, Boone, Iowa, $25.60; Norman E. Dresser, Sharon, Wis., $104.80; Steven C. Cross, Polo, $26.80; Gerald O. Hankemeier, Wyoming, Iowa, $31.20.

Polo news

The Town and Country Club will meet in the Rotary Hall on Monday at 7:30 p.m., with Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Clark and Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Wilson as the hosts.

Legal

INVITATION TO BID

The Board of Education, School District 170, will accept sealed bids on March 15, 1973 at 2:00 p.m. for fluorescent tubes for the 1973-74 school year. Specifications may be obtained at the office of the business manager, 415 S. Hennepin Ave., Dixon, Illinois.

W. L. STITZEL, JR.
Business Manager
Feb. 24, 1973

News of Polo clubs

POLO — Ogle Cunty Blackhawk C.B. Club met recently at the Byron Sportsmans Club and saw slides of Harold Thomas' trip across the western states and of the damage done by the April 6, 1972, tornado in Polo. There were 12 members and seven guests present at the meeting.

President Jim Weaver, Polo, announced that their will be three prizes given for the transmitter hunt on April first starting at Wells Park, Stillman Valley. After the hunt is over, the club members and guests will return to the park for a hot lunch.

Other matters for discussion was the announcement of the program for the next meeting, and that club members Mr. and Mrs. Skip Williams of Rockford were the parents of a baby girl.

Mr. and Mrs. John Foulkers will celebrate their 50th wedding anniversary at an open house at the St. Mark's Lutheran Church on Sunday from 2 to 4 p.m.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Pfundstein will celebrate their 25th wedding anniversary at the Jordan Elementary School on Sunday from 2 to 4 p.m.

When the Polo Rotary Club met this week at the Rotary Hall, guests were Ray Zimmer, Dixon, Russell Hammer, Polo and R. F. Merson, Byron.

The president Oscar Olson announced committee members for the horse show that will be held at MCDaniel's horse show arena in July.

POLO — "Family night will be held at the Church of the Brethren on Feb. 28 in the Fellowship Hall at 6:30 p.m.

Committee members are Mr. and Mrs. Wilber Bowman, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Schmidt, Mr. and Mrs. Duane Milhorn, Mr. and Mrs. John Brindle and Mr. and Mrs. Maynard Hammer. The program will be under the direction of the family life director.

The Overcomers class officers of the Open Bible Church will meet on Tuesday at 7:30 p.m.

Earl Master, Oregon, will present the program on Lincoln at Polo Continental Manor Nursing Home on Monday at 7:30 p.m. when the Ogle County Historical Society will hold their meeting.

The Friendship Club will meet at 2 p.m., in the Rotary Hall on Feb. 27. Miss Kathryn Keagy and Mrs. Mary Rucker will be the hostesses and Mrs. Ruth Holby will present the devotions.

The members of the Spanish Club of the Polo Community High School will journey to Chicago on Sunday, Feb. 25 for a visit to the Art Museum and see the movie, "Man From La Mancha," at the McClug Court Theatre in the Marina Towers, Chicago.

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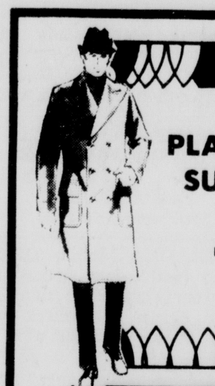

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